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Repairs to Be Made on Jetty at Navarro

Senator Ingels Receives Letter from State Department Regarding Conditions

State Senator Ray Ingels received word from the state department of public works the latter part of last week that additional work has been recommended on the jetty at the mouth of the Navarro river.

R. C. Jones, deputy in charge of flood control and reclamation, wrote Ingels as follows:

"It might interest you to know that one of the men from this office examined the jetty at the mouth of the Navarro river on Sunday, December 27, and reports that the recent runout has cleared the jetty from sand and shows it to be intact and in satisfactory condition, except for the displacement of a few stones on the top course.

"It is quite apparent that the jetty is at least two feet lower than it should be, as the runout passed over the top of the wall and helped to remove the sand on the seaward side. This sand is a very substantial protection to the jetty but it may have been removed by the action of the sea without assistance from the river water. Practically the whole of the river is flowing south of the large rock where it is intended to go. Within a week we intend to place some additional rock on the wall where it is needed and to bring it to the original height where rock has been displaced.

"Within the next two weeks we expect to submit to the fish and game commission, plans and estimates for raising and strengthening the jetty, and possibly for some protective work on the south side. Without this, probably the channel cannot be kept open at all times, regardless of how substantial the present jetty is made."

TO TRAIN IN SAN FRANCISCO

Bob Matthews, promising Ukiah pugilist, will leave Sunday, accompanied by his manager, Dave Cohen, for San Francisco, where Matthews will start training in the Ryan and Tausing gymnasium on Leavenworth street for a lineup of bouts Cohen has arranged for him. Matthews has trained here for several years, but since arrangements have been made for use of the gymnasium, he will live there permanently. Cohen will return to his business Monday.

RECOVERING FROM FLU

C. A. Carner, well known seed culturist of Potter valley, was a Ukiah visitor on business Tuesday. Mr. Carner is recovering from a serious attack of influenza, which confined him to his home for several days.

Miss Winifred Allen returned to her home on Norton street from Sacramento, where she spent the last two weeks visiting relatives.

Biggar After Money for Proposed Roads

Assemblyman George M. Biggar, of Covelo, and Supervisor Rupe were in Ukiah yesterday. Biggar was on his way to Sacramento to meet with Supervisor Jesse Walcott, of Tehama county, who, with Biggar and Rupe, constitutes the joint highway committee which will have charge of affairs in connection with the building of the Round valley highway.

They will meet with officials of the state highway commission at Sacramento today to confer as to the appointment of an engineer and the allocating of state funds for the project.

According to Biggar, the federal government will spend one and a quarter millions on the portion of the highway in the national forest, about 50 miles between Paskenta and Covelo. The state is expected to help out between Corning and Paskenta.

To Start Work on Bridges in North

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 1.—Construction of two modern concrete arch bridges on the Redwood highway route in Mendocino county at a cost of $208,000 will begin the middle of this month, it was announced by the Redwood Empire Association.

Cutleben Bros., Oakland contractors, have been awarded the contract on the low out of nine bids on the project, originally estimated to cost $267,000. C. J. Cutleben, member of the firm, said that construction would be speeded and the bridges completed by October.

They will replace wooden bridges on the Redwood highway crossings of tributaries of the South Fork of the Eel river, known as Big Dann and Cedar Creek, about 7½ miles south of Lanes Flat, and 46 miles north of Willits.

Both of the bridges will be about 700 feet long and will have 10-foot arches. One will be 190 feet high and the other 240 feet, Mr. Cutleben said.

Mrs. T. Rice Burned When Cleaner Ignites

Mrs. Tom Rice suffered severe burns about the body when a can of shoe cleaner tipped over and caught fire Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Rice was cleaning her childrens' shoes, getting them ready for school. During the application she placed the can on a heater nearby, while she was polishing the articles.

The fire ignited her clothing and scattered about the room. By rolling on the floor she was able to extinguish her burning clothes and with the help of neighbors, put out the remaining fire.

Elizabeth Ryder, who has been spending the last two weeks with her parents, Captain and Mrs. Royal Ryder, left today for Berkeley, where she is attending university.

SAVINGS BANK DIVIDEND

For the half year ending December 31st 1931 a dividend at the rate of four (4) per cent per-annum has been declared by the Savings Bank of Mendocino County to its Savings Depositors, payable on and after January 2nd 1932.

Dividends not called for are added to the account and bear interest from January 1st 1932.

Deposits made on or before January 11th 1932 will bear interest from January 1st.

WILLIAM BROMLEY,
Cashier.

SAVINGS BANK
of Mendocino County
UKIAH—HOPLAND

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Coast Man Killed by Pistol Accidentally

New Years Eve Celebration Near Fort Bragg Culminates in Tragic Happening

FORT BRAGG, Jan. 6.—Kenneth Shaffer was instantly killed on New Year's eve when his friend, Fred Monsen, fired a Luger pistol through the open door of his cabin to start celebrating New Year, the bullet striking Shaffer in the forehead.

According to testimony at the coroner's inquest on Saturday and at the preliminary hearing before Judge Ware Monday, the shooting was accidental, although carelessness played an important part in it.

John Cosby, one of the witnesses, testified that he and Monsen were at the Monsen cabin drinking eggnogs when Shaffer and Harris drove up to the cabin with Harris's three children. The two men got out of the car and went into the cabin where they were treated to an eggnog and a glass of beer. Shaffer did not like the eggnog, Cosby testified, and was given another glass of beer. Harris and Shaffer then went out to the car, followed by Monsen, who told them they had better have another drink before they went away. Shaffer declined but Harris accompanied him back to the cabin. When they reached the cabin the drinks were poured, and Monsen went to the wall and secured a Luger pistol stating that he was going to fire a shot to celebrate the New Year. Harris admonished him to be careful as his three children and Shaffer were out in the yard.

According to Cosby's testimony, Monsen was standing about five feet inside the door when he lifted the pistol and shot. Just at the moment he pulled the trigger, Shaffer stepped into the doorway and the bullet struck him in the forehead, killing him instantly.

Harris's testimony, while almost the same as Cosby's brought out additional facts. He stated that he and Shaffer were working on his car in the afternoon and when they had the work finished started to try it out. They went past the Monsen cabin about 5:00 o'clock and went in to get a glass of beer. Cosby and Monsen were there, and according to Harris, they were in very good spirits, and evidently had been drinking. They treated the visitors to drinks as Cosby had testified.

The coroner's jury brought in a verdict, "Death caused by gunshot wound in the forehead inflicted by Fred Monsen."

At the preliminary hearing Monsen was charged with manslaughter, and was bound over to appear before the superior court.

The deceased was born in Fort Bragg, September 3, 1907. He was married to Miss Helen Norback of Fort Bragg, in July, 1930, and leaves, besides the widow, a little daughter; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clee Shaffer, of Fort Bragg; two brothers, Raymond and George, of Fort Bragg; and a sister, Mrs. Violet Beck of San Francisco.

HAS BROKEN RIBS

Jeff Joaquin, Indian, who lives on the Hopland reservation, is out and around again after being confined a few days to his home with two broken ribs, which he received when he fell at his place of residence recently.

Dr. Bennett reports he is getting along in a satisfactory manner.

SUFFERS FROM BLOOD POISONING

Charles B. Gibson, county employee, is suffering from a severe case of blood poisoning, as the aftermath of injuries received while working on a county bridge in Redwood valley during the high water last month. Gibson lives in Calpella. He is under the care of Dr. E. C. Bennett.

NEW TRAFFIC INSPECTOR

Word was received at the local traffic office the first of the week that Mike Brown, inspector for Mendocino, Humboldt and Del Norte counties, had been transferred to the central office at Sacramento. His job here is being filled for the present by Sam Kirkpatrick, of Eureka.

BABY GIRL BORN

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Woods, of Upper Lake, are the proud and happy parents over the arrival of the stork at their home, Thursday night, bringing them a 9-pound baby girl.

Dr. Van Allen announces the mother and child are getting along in a satisfactory manner.

Mrs. Fred Canestro is confined to her bed with a severe case of influenza at the home of Mrs. Frank King, her mother, on Oak street. She has been sick for over a week and is under the care of Dr. J. J. Kirwin.

Dave Cohen Weds at Santa Rosa, Dec. 26

Dave Cohen, prominent business man of Ukiah, and Mrs. Dolly Sheehan were united in marriage December 26 in the justice court in Santa Rosa.

The young couple managed to keep their marriage a secret until yesterday, when it became generally known.

The groom is well known here, being the son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Cohen, who have been in business in Ukiah for a number of years.

The bride is the sister of Mrs. Sam Casini, formerly Mrs. H. Schmidt, who was married in the same town, during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cohen are receiving congratulations from their hosts of friends, who are wishing them a happy and prosperous married life.

VETERANS RECEIVE CHEER

The women of the auxiliary of Lewis White post, American Legion, carried Christmas cheer to the 99 veterans in the Mendocino state hospital under direction of Mrs. Jack Mason, chairman of the auxiliary hospitalization committee. Twelve of the veterans in the state institution are Spanish war veterans, the remainder world war veterans.

Candies, cookies, magazines, etc., were distributed to the men, also oranges which had been donated by the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Magazines are always acceptable, so those who have second-hand magazines are asked to send or take them to Mrs. Mason or notify her so she can send for them. Stories of adventure and western stories seem to be preferred.

CHANGE MADE IN TIME OF HUNTING LICENSES

Hunters this year will be compelled to buy a license for a year and a half, paying $3.00 therefor. The licenses will expire June 30, 1933. After that the yearly license will again be issued. The object of the change is to bring the money for the hunting licenses into the treasury in the middle of the year, and that for fishing licenses during the beginning of the year, thus keeping a steady income pouring into the coffers of the commission.

The change was made by the last legislature.

VISIT AT SACRAMENTO

J. A. Coutts, local contractor, and Mrs. Coutts returned Wednesday from Sacramento, where they spent two weeks with their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Pratt. While on the visit Mrs. Coutts suffered a severe case of pneumonia and was under the care of a Sacramento physician for several days.

She is convalescing at her home on Mill street.

Food Barrels Prove to Be Big Success

The committee in charge of the food barrels in a number of the local grocery stores, under the auspices of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, announces that food to the value of $90.00 has been collected. This has been a great help to the town relief committee in solving the food problem among many of our deserving families during the winter months. Guss V. Wallach is in charge of the barrels for the veterans.

PINCHES CASE HEARD

The case of Mabel Pinches vs. George Pinches, a complaint for divorce on grounds of cruelty, was heard in the superior court Wednesday and was taken under submission by Judge Iversen. The defendant withdrew his cross-complaint and refused to put in evidence. The plaintiff's evidence was taken. An agreement was reached that the plaintiff be awarded the town house and its contents and Pinches the ranch. The remainder of the property is to be divided equally between the two by the court. The question of support for the children also is left up to the court.

HAVE LITTLE SON

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bolduc are rejoicing over a healthy 8-pound baby boy, which arrived at the local hospital Wednesday night. The parents are residing in Berkeley, where Mr. Bolduc is in business. Mrs. Bolduc formerly lived in Calpella and has many friends in that vicinity and Ukiah.

WILL CLOSE RED INK STORES

A dispatch from Chicago January 4 is to the effect that Montgomery Ward & Company will close 30 to 40 of its stores which are in the red for the last year.

N. C. Terwilliger and wife, of the Cummings section, were Ukiah visitors this week.

Ukiah Couple Hurt in Motor Accident

Walter Hoenig and Dora Jensen, both residents of Ukiah, were involved in an automobile wreck near Hopland last week, as they were returning from that town to their homes.

A motorist traveling at a high rate of speed and with blinding lights, coming in the opposite direction, crowded the Ukiah people from the highway and caused their car to careen into a ditch.

The Hoenig car rested on its side, pinning both underneath. After a time they were able to dig their way out and summon aid from passing motorists, who brought them to Ukiah. Miss Jensen was taken to the General hospital where examination revealed several cuts and a broken collar bone. Hoenig escaped with bruises and cuts.

The car was later brought to a local garage for repairs. Miss Jensen is home again after being in the hospital for a week. Hoenig also returned to work at the Pioneer oil burner company, where he is employed, after being absent several days on account of his injuries.

Will Attend Meeting for National President

Mrs. Gladys Dion, past president, womens' auxiliary of Lewis White post, American Legion, will go to Yountville, accompanied by Mrs. Helen Stambaugh, and Secretary Ardis Roberts of the Ukiah chamber of commerce, to attend a gathering to be held at the veterans' home by way of greeting to Mrs. Louise Williams, national president of the auxiliary. Mrs. Williams is visiting in California from January 9 to 13, and will be a guest during a portion of the visit with Colonel and Mrs. Holderman, of the veterans' home. A luncheon will be given by the Holdermans in honor of Mrs. Williams on Sunday and a reception will be held in the afternoon at the Lincoln theatre.

Representatives and officials from all over the northern part of the state will be present.

Mrs. Schimdt Bride of S. F. Man Monday

Completely surprising her many friends, Mrs. Romilda Schmidt was quietly married to Sam Casini in Santa Rosa Monday.

The bride is a popular business woman of this city and the groom is a San Francisco commission merchant, who is well known in business circles in the bay district.

Immediately after the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Casini left for Los Angeles, where they will spend the next two weeks on their honeymoon. The couple will return here to make their permanent home.

UKIAH HIGH SCHOOL TO MEET UNIVERSITY

The University of California 130-lb. basketball team will tangle with Coach Bud Christensen's Ukiah high school quintet here tomorrow night. Local fans will remember the thrilling last minute spurt which gave the California lightweights the victory last year after an epochal battle and a packed house is expected to be on hand.

Coach Christensen has not decided on his starting lineup, but the following men will see action: Ciancio, Niemi, Soinila, Buchholz, Sanchez, Weatherhead. Fred Hunt's Outlaws will furnish opposition for the Ukiah B's.

POSTOFFICE RECEIPTS DECLINE

Receipts at the Ukiah postoffice declined approximately $4000 for 1931 as compared with 1930, according to Postmaster Alex Thomas. The gross postal business for 1930 was, in round figures, $30,000 but this fell off to $26,000 for the year just closed.

The Christmas business was about the same as that of 1930, however.

EARTHQUAKE TUESDAY NIGHT

H. G. Wrocklage, of the government observatory, reports that the seismograph at the observatory registered a slight earthquake in this immediate vicinity Tuesday, January 5, at 6:00 o'clock in the morning. Anyone who felt it is asked to communicate with Mr. Wrocklage and describe as well as they can the character of the shock.

FORMER RESIDENTS HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Perry, of Oroville, stopped in Ukiah for a few hours visiting friends while en route to Lake county to spend a few days with relatives. The Perrys formerly lived here while Mr. Perry was employed as conductor on the Northwestern Pacific railroad for many years. Mrs. Perry will be remembered as Minnie Bucknell.

Sam Pickle Killed in Crash Saturday

Prominent Coyote Valley Rancher Meets Death When Two Auto Trucks Collide

Sam Pickle, rancher of Coyote valley, was instantly killed in an automobile accident on the Redwood highway, two miles north of the Forks, Saturday evening about 9:00 o'clock.

Pickle, driving a light made-over truck, crashed into Elmer Hull and a companion, in another truck. Hull and his companion were on their way home from Willits, where they went to attend a theatre. Pickle was on his way to Calpella.

Just before the crash with Pickle, Hull stated, he passed a car driven at a high rate of speed. Pickle was following it closely. His truck was behaving erratically and carried only one light.

When Hull saw the approaching car was going to hit him he pulled over on his side as far as he could without going into the ditch and applied his brakes. Pickle missed the left front fender and hit the running board and the rack of Hull's truck. The windshield and cloth top of the rancher's truck were torn completely from the body. One of the rails of the side board on Hull's truck hit Pickle between the eyes, crushing his skull.

The Pickle truck caught fire and was extinguished by Hull. The impact caused Pickle's truck to turn completely around in the highway and nearly caused Hull's vehicle to turn over.

After the crash Hull went back to the other truck, about 50 feet distant, to ascertain the damage done and found the driver dead. He stated that although he knew Pickle and had worked with him sometime before, he did not recognize him and it was not until a search of his clothing was made by officers that his identity was ascertained by a fishing license he had in his wallet. His truck was a complete wreck.

The first people to appear on the scene after the accident were C. E. Shackleford, Ukiah business man, and an unknown motorist who came to town and notified the authorities. John Rawles, of the local traffic squad, made an investigation, as well as deputies from the sheriff's office, and W. F. Ornbaun, coroner, who took charge of the body.

Hull received a badly bruised hip. His companion was uninjured, except for a severe shaking up.

Approximately two hours before the accident, Pickle, accompanied by his cousin, Raymond Pickle, while on their way to a dance, ran through a railing bordering a culvert near the Forks in a light coupe belonging to Raymond and went into a ditch. Part of the culvert railing was forced under one fender and other pieces of the fence came near striking the men. Nearly five yards of the railing were torn down. Pickle had gone to his ranch in Coyote valley to get the truck, in which he was killed, to pull his cousin's car back on the road but found it too light to accomplish the work and was on his way to a garage in Calpella to obtain a tow car, when the fatal accident happened.

Pickle is survived by his wife and one daughter and his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. William Pickle, who live on the ranch adjoining his.

W. F. Ornbaun, coroner, and John Rawles, traffic officer, in their report Monday exonerated Hull of all blame.

GUESTS AT CECILLE

A. F. Fairy and H. Delagnes, Pacific telephone and telegraph company representatives, were registered at the Cecill hotel while visiting the local office Tuesday. Dr. C. E. Roberts, optician of Oakland, who is moving here to make his home and establish an optical business, was a guest also.

DOANS ARE IMPROVING

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Doan will be glad to learn that Mrs. Doan is out and around again after being confined to her home with injuries sustained when she fell on a slippery sidewalk and broke her arm three weeks ago. Mr. Doan is convalescing, taking his first ride Tuesday since his confinement several months ago.

DICK LANGTREE HERE

Dick Langtree, former prominent Ukiah citizen, was in town this week and will be here for several weeks looking after property interests. Dick is living in Humboldt county and enjoying good health. Needless to say, his many friends in Ukiah greeted him with much pleasure.

County Sealer Ben Mallory was in town from Fort Bragg yesterday.

ANDERSON VALLEY

BOONVILLE, Dec. 23.—Mrs. C. A. Tarwater and Mrs. W. J. Fowler entertained at an afternoon tea at the home of the latter Tuesday, December 22. Decorations and menu were carried out in Christmas colors. Cards were enjoyed during the afternoon and Mrs. A. R. Johnson carried off first prize and Mrs. J. M. Johnson consolation. The guest list included Mrs. Albert Ferrell, Mrs. Sid Dennison, Mrs. A. R. Johnson, Mrs. J. M. Johnson, Mrs. M. E. McGimsey, Mrs. J. E. Sweet, Mrs. F. A. Rawles, Mrs. V. R. Rawles, Mrs. Donald MacKintosh. Mrs. Fowler's uncle, W. T. Bill of Los Angeles, substituted for one of the guests unable to attend. An exchange of gifts between guests added to the Christmas spirit.

Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Hedgpeth were recent dinner guests at the C. T. Ingram home near Navarro.

Mrs. Anna Mock and grandchildren, Jean and Jack, left Wednesday to pass the holidays with relatives in San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Clay accompanied W. F. Frye and two daughters to San Francisco Thursday to pass Christmas with Mrs. Frye, who is in the St. Mary's hospital. They will have a tree and Christmas dinner in her room. R. C. Clay of Woodland came up to stay at the Clay home so his father and mother could make the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Nichols and daughter, Miss Lillian, left Thursday for Fort Bragg, where they will pass Christmas with Mrs. Nichols' mother, Mrs. West.

Mr. and Mrs. Mathew Del Fatti and children, Ina and Harvey of Eureka, are visiting Mrs. Del Fatti's mother, Mrs. K. B. Wallach, and Mr. Del Fatti's mother, Mrs. Antone DellAcqua, over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wallach and daughter, Miss Erma, motored to Hetch Hetchy to pass the holidays at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Ernest Rawles.

Mrs. Lilburn Titus is quite ill with measles and several school children have been exposed as it is understood one child attended school after she had taken measles but at the time did not know she had them. It's to be hoped they have all recovered before school commences again.

Mrs. D. C. Ingram, a former resident of this valley, was a recent guest at the home of her brother, C. H. Clow. When she learned of the serious illness of her old friend and neighbor, the late Mrs. Elmira Estes, she came to make her a last call and stayed over to attend the services.

William Onest is the latest victim of thieves in this section. His garage was entered and three tires and rims were removed from his machine and carried off. To date officers have not been able to connect any one with the crime.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Adams, accompanied by Dennie Willis, left Wednesday morning for San Francisco to see their son, Ross, who is a cadet at the California nautical school, off on a five-month trip on the California State, a rebuilt boat belonging to the school. A hundred and twelve cadets are taking the trip and will completely circle South America, going down the west coast and returning via the Panam Canal. Ronald Bennett, also of this valley, is a member of the class and both boys are very much enthused over the trip. Class work will be continued while on board.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Burke, of Ukiah, were guests of Mrs. Burke's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Clow, over Christmas. Mrs. Burke plans to pass a week here during her school vacation.

Due to the heavy rain the Ukiah road was closed several days on account of slides. One was reported to be a half mile long and to cover the full width of the road. Ed Hogan, road boss, has a full crew at work clearing out the rocks and mud. There are also a number of slides in the Cloverdale road and Saturday all roads out of here were blocked, the Ukiah road by slides and Cloverdale and Fort Bragg roads by high water. A number of valley residents were forced to wait until the following day to return to their homes. Among them were Edward and Arthur Gowan, who tried to come from Ukiah by way of the Mt. House and were stopped at Yorkville by high water. They drove back to Ukiah and attempted to come over the Ukiah road but were forced to leave their car on the road. C. E. Price, coming in from Healdsburg, waited a couple of hours for the water to go down and finally went back to Cloverdale for the night.

Such a large crowd attended the community Christmas tree December 23 at the church that extra chairs had to be brought in to seat them. The heavy rain kept many away but the children were remembered and their boxes of candy were delivered the following day. An appropriate program was given by the school children and Santa was there to delight the little ones.

Mrs. C. W. Henderkin of San Rafael, came up to spend Christmas with her sister, Mrs. D. V. Presley, and family, and plans to remain for a couple of weeks. Mrs. Presley broke a small bone in her ankle several weeks ago and is still wearing a cast, but is able to get about a little on crutches.

Members of the young folks Sunday school class met at the J. T. Farrer home Monday evening of last week and popped the corn and filled the boxes for the community Christmas tree. They also made candy and popcorn balls as a treat for themselves.

REGISTERED AT CECILLE

Among the guests registered at the Cecille hotel Saturday were: M. Hendrich, Walter Hamor, M. Wizzard and Bud Wood, of the Western Union Telegraph company in San Francisco, who are here in the interest of the company for an indefinite stay; Edna and Rose Marie Nordeck, who are staying in Ukiah for a few days visiting friends; Delphine Moranda, Ferndale resident, and F. B. Belotti, of Eureka, who were here visiting Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Kirwin; and A. T. Bernott, of Dos Rios. On Sunday: J. F. Laux, trainmaster of the Northwestern Pacific, who was here on company business; and A. H. McDonald, P. G. & E. official.

UNDERGOES OPERATION

Frank King was operated on for hernia by Dr. E. C. Bennett last Monday. Reports yesterday were to the effect that his condition was satisfactory.

Though Winds Do Blow

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CONVENIENT SCHEDULES

NORTHWESTERN PACIFIC

Redwood Empire Route

Multitude Crossed World's Longest Suspension Bridge during First Week

Photos from Port of New York Authority

About 150,000 vehicles crossed the George Washington bridge between New York City and Fort Lee, N. J., and some 58,000 people walked over it during its first week of operation at the end of October, 1931. Its towers are 635 feet tall, and the distance between them is 3,500 feet. The total strength of the four supporting cables shown in the picture at the left is 350,000 tons. Above is a bridge patrolman calling in from one of the telephones installed on the bridge as part of the administration and traffic-control communication system. He is standing about 250 feet above the Hudson River.

Leaping the lower Hudson River in one tremendous stride of 3,500 feet, the George Washington bridge, longest suspension span in the world, was opened for traffic on October 25, 1931. It links the upper part of Manhattan Island, New York City, with Fort Lee, New Jersey, and the opening ceremonies marked the climax of a construction project for which ground was broken in May of 1927.

Telephones Solve Communication Problem

The two towers which support the suspension cables stand 635 feet above the water, and the four cables which carry the load of the main span are each three feet in diameter. Each cable is woven of 26,474 separate wires. The weight of the cable wire alone is 28,450 tons, there are 73,000 tons of structural steel work in the main bridge, and the steel work in the towers weighs over 40,000 tons. The distance between anchorages on the two shores is 4,760 feet, and between the traffic entrance plazas is 8,200 feet, well over a mile and a half. Even these bald statistics give indication of why the George Washington bridge is one of the engineering triumphs of modern times.

So great an undertaking brought in its train many problems not previously encountered in bridge construction. One of them was the matter of communication. The distance from shore to shore is too long for the old method of signaling by shouts and flags, and here the telephone was called upon to render an essential service.

A "tie line" was placed, connecting the New York and New Jersey sites through an existing telephone cable crossing under the river lower down, and telephones were installed at each base, at each anchorage, and on top of each tower as they went up. Later, when the cat-walk had been constructed across the river, a telephone was placed in the center of the span, and the spinning of the cables was controlled from this vantage point.

Used for Administration and Traffic Control

Now the bridge is built. During the first week of its operation some 150,000 vehicles and 58,000 pedestrians crossed it. And still the telephone plays its important part. A private branch switchboard is located at present in the field office building at the Jersey plaza, and to it are connected 34 telephones, which are in constant use for the general administration of the bridge, for the supervision of the bridge personnel of 90 and for the control of traffic.

All Points Within Reach of the Telephone

Every part of the bridge is within quick reach of the telephone. From the transformer room on the ground level to the top of the towers, where eventually sightseers will be permitted, and from one plaza to the other, the wires are run. The purpose of the bridge is to transport traffic with speed and safety, and telephones are at the entrance posts at either end, in the toll booths and at intervals along the bridge, where they are available to patrolling officers.

The outdoor telephones are equipped with flashing lights instead of bells, since the latter might not be heard above the traffic. Thus patrolmen, the bridge master and other officials can also be reached at any point as well as make calls. This is an obvious advantage in handling a possible congestion of traffic and in keeping cars moving swiftly and safely.

The George Washington bridge is owned and operated by the Port of New York Authority. The communication system was installed by the New Jersey Bell Telephone Company.

UPPER LAKE

UPPER LAKE, Jan. 5.—Leslie Manker, a former resident here, and Miss Helen Sinnamon were married at San Jose Christmas day.

Bill and Tom Yows were on the sick list last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Denny Dennis and two children, of Sacramento, visited at the Robert Stowell home last week.

The high school basketball team will play the first league game Friday night at 7:00 o'clock against Hopland, at Hopland.

The Misses Barbara Alley and Mildred Long returned home Sunday from Zamora, where they had been visiting the past week. Frank Heard Jr., Oscar Anderson and Chester, and Mabel Parker accompanied the young ladies home and visited at the Alley and Long homes until Sunday evening.

Lena McCullough returned Sunday from a week's visit with her sister, Mildred, in San Francisco.

Miss Ernestine de Ghetaldi entertained at her home New Years a group of young friends.

Mrs. George King and son, George, spent a few days at the Mart Tallman home. They were accompanied by Dorothy and Daryl Tallman, who had spent the week visiting in Courtland.

Miss Thelma Vann was a Lakeport visitor Monday.

Earl Foutch left Monday for San Francisco, after spending the holidays with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Chet Booth, of Oakland, were visitors in this vicinity a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Keil and children were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Awe New Years.

Clair Shirley was a visitor in San Francisco from Thursday until Sunday.

Mrs. Mable Bucknell, of Sacramento, was a visitor here last week.

Mrs. J. A. Brewer was a Lakeport visitor Monday.

A trustee meeting was held Monday evening.

Miss Dorothy de Clarke, of San Jose, was a guest of Ethel Mann over New Years.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Tallman and Mr. and Mrs. Nullen, of Williams, visited Mrs. Henry Riffe Thursday.

Edgar Burnheim, of San Jose, spent the holidays here.

Lawrence Bates was a business visitor in the city Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H .B. Manning and daughter, Isabelle, moved to Lake Pillsbury this week, where Mr. Manning will be employed this winter.

Mrs. Mary Green and son, Gessner, of Lakeport, were visitors in this vicinity Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Marston were Lakeport visitors Monday.

Fred Garner and Mr. and Mrs. Hanson, of Lower Lake, were visitors here Sunday.

A watch party was enjoyed by many at the church Thursday evening.

Mr and Mrs. E. E. Henderson, of Oakland, have opened a bakery in the location formerly occupied by the Corner bakery. They were formerly managers of a bakery and restaurant in Oakland. Mrs. Henderson is a sister of Mrs. R. Haworth and Chet Booth.

Dr. D. C. Strong, who had been called to the Lon Glazier home, found it necessary to obtain a boat to get there. He was rowed from in front of Grinner Bros.' store to the Mendenhall bridge, where he was met by W. L. Boardman in a car and hurried to the Glazier home where five members of the family were ill with influenza.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Craighead enjoyed a short vacation at Eureka.

Frank Moore and Benson Thomas, of San Jose, visited at the J. A. Youngreen home last week. They were accompanied by August on their return trip. Augsut attends junior college in San Jose.

Miss Genette Miner returned Sunday from her vacation spent in Oakland. She was accompanied by Mrs. Elery Sleeper, who spent the past two weeks visiting in Berkeley.

Miss Dorothy Polk spent several days visiting in the bay cities.

Serves Sentence in Lieu of $250 Fine

Ruth Williams, of Redwood valley, is serving 60 days in the county jail in default of a fine of $250.00 imposed on her by Judge Hoffman, last week, for possession of liquor. Her residence was raided recently by county officers, who obtained a quantity of intoxicants.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Gustafson were down from Willits Monday.

Dick White to Work in Traffic Office

Dick White, popular member of the local traffic department, who was injured a few months ago in an accident on the Redwood highway, is being employed in the Ukiah traffic office doing clerical work while he is regaining his health. When he is strong enough he will resume his patrol duties. He started his duties in the local office Monday.

Captain Ryder announces that the traffic office will be open continuously from 8:00 a. m. to 10:00 p. m., until February 1, during registration. The Ukiah office does not issue plates, but will receive the applications and the plates will be shipped direct to the applicant from Sacramento. It is also necessary, according to a new ruling of the motor vehicle department, that applicants have the body number of their machine, when they apply for a license, Ryder stated.

ATTEND TRIAL HERE

Among Laytonville people who were in Ukiah to attend the divorce trial of Mable Pinches vs. George Pinches, business people of the northern town, are: Mrs. Rennie Redd, Mrs. Dunham, Dorsey Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Camp. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ogle, of Willits, were also present.

SELLS APPLES HERE

Barney Schow brought another load of his choice apples down from Willits the first of the week. During the past few weeks Schow has disposed of more than 200 boxes of his delicious Rome beauty apples among our merchants and they find ready sale in competition with the fruit imported from Washington, Oregon, and other famous apple localities.

BURNED BY HOT WATER

Mrs. George Hollenback, of Comptche, came to Ukiah the first of the week to be treated by Dr. E. C. Bennett on account of burns received when she tipped over a kettle of boiling water. She was sent home Tuesday after her injuries had been dressed.

BOB STUDNICK ILL

Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Bennett motored to Santa Rosa Tuesday to visit Bob Studnick, well known cowboy, who has been seriously ill with influenza. Studnick, who has participated often in the rodeos here, has many friends in Ukiah who will join in wishing him an early recovery.

FOOT INFECTION

Mrs. George Ward has been suffering with an infection of one of her feet for the last two weeks. She was threatened with blood poisoning for a time, but is now improving.

Fire Burns Home on Outskirts of Ukiah

House Occupied by Jack Crow and Family Destroyed Friday in Absence of Occupants

Fire partially destroyed a shingled frame residence, occupied by Jack Crow on Evans street, about 5:30 last Friday morning, while Crow and his family were in Cloverdale visiting relatives of Mrs. Crow over the holiday.

Neighbors discovered the fire and tried to extinguish it with a garden hose, but when this failed, phoned the local fire department. The home was ablaze when the men arrived, the fire having obtained a good start before the alarm was turned in.

Fire Chief Neil Anker stated that the home is outside of the city limits and it was to keep the fire from spreading into town that the department responded.

The furniture and clothing of the family were damaged by smoke and water, the loss being covered by insurance. The building was also insured. All that was saved were the clothes the Crows wore and had with them on their visit.

It is thought that the fire started from a spark from the heating stove in the sitting room, which ignited the carpet and burned through the floor into the basement, where the draft fanned the blaze and spread the fire to the underpinning of the building.

The home is a total loss and will be torn down by Frank LaPorte, owner of the property. The Crow family are living at the Ukiah auto court for the present.

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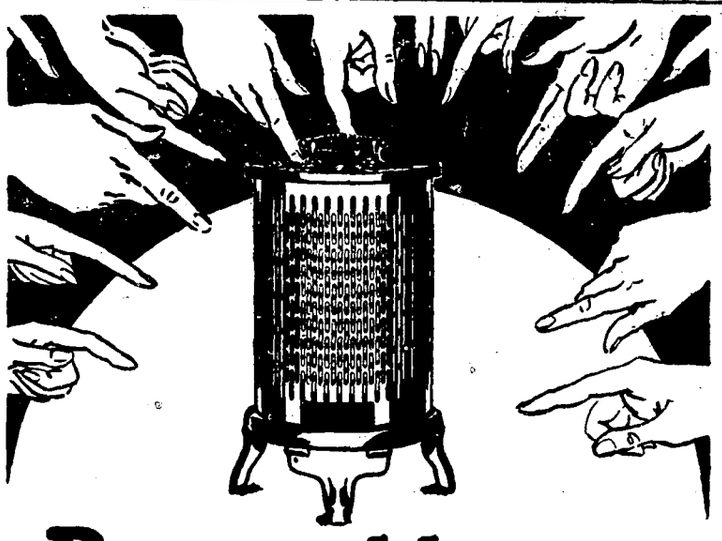

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Potter Paragraphs

POTTER VALLEY, Jan. 5.—During the past week two parties were given by the young people in honor of the visiting college students at home.

Tuesday evening at the home of his parents, Bradford Williams was host to a number of college and high school friends. Bridge was enjoyed until a late hour, after which a delicious supper was served. High scores were awarded Lawrence and Vera Clark. Bliss Corbett and John Pringle were presented the consolation prizes. The guest list included the Misses Vera and Doris Clark, Madeline Newman, Marjorie Hardisty, Dorothy Pringle, Elain and Elsie Brower, Joy and Bliss Corbett, and Messrs. Don Eddie, Lawrence Clark, Lucien Corbett, Elton Taylor, John Newman and John Pringle.

On New Year's eve at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Thornton, Cedric Thornton entertained a group of Ukiah and Potter friends. Cards were played for awhile, but dancing was more enjoyed by the young guests. A most delicious supper was served after the new year was ushered in. Those asked to enjoy the evening at the Thornton home were the Misses Madeline Newman, Marjorie Hardisty, Dorothy Pringle, Doris Clark, Marion Jones, Alta Lowe, Joy and Bliss Corbett, Gean Gowan, Bessie March and Joan Moulton and Margaret Crawford of Ukiah, Messrs. Elton Taylor, John Pringle, John Newman, Don Eddie, Lawrence Clark, Bradford Williams, Robert Brooks, and Austin Brooks.

Cards have been received by Potter friends of Miss Mary Bruce Harvey announcing her marriage in Petaluma December 31 to Mr. George H. Nissen. Mrs. Nissen is the only daughter of Ira Harvey and a sister of Clarence Harvey. They formerly resided in Potter, where the young lady was graduated from the local high school. Afterwards she trained in Lane hospital and a year ago was graduated from that institution. Her many friends here wish her luck and prosperity in her new venture.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Brooks and Miss Ileta Brooks were in Ukiah Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Spotswood and Miss Margaret Spotswood returned from San Jose Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Spencer and family were visitors to Ukiah Saturday.

On New Year's eve the Grange sponsored a card party in the Grange hall. Due to many people being away and to other numerous attractions that evening not a very large group was present. However, a good time was enjoyed by those who attended. High scores were awarded Mrs. Herbert Pickle, Mrs. Praeger, P. B. Westerman and James Eddie. Mrs. Genvea Christofferson, Mrs. P. B. Westerman, Jack Newman and Charles Hardisty were low. George Burkhart had the lucky number which won the door prize. At midnight the committee served a splendid two-course supper.

P. B. Westerman drove to Ukiah Saturday.

P. F. Tyson and his daughter, Miss Estelle Tyson, returned Sunday after a pleasant holiday with coast relatives.

Miss Erda Kromer, popular young high school teacher, returned to Potter Sunday after spending her Christmas vacation in Sacramento.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Busch attended the firemen's ball in Ukiah New Year's eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ray of Ukiah were visiting at the James McFarland home last week.

Theodore Schurr, of Oakland, came up Friday to get Mrs. Schurr and the children, who spent Christmas week with Potter relatives. They returned to Oakland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James McFarland, Mr. and Mrs. James Eddie and Mr. and Mrs. George Burkhart attended the Grange meeting in Ukiah Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Streeter, of Tracy, were calling on Potter friends Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thornton and children returned from Santa Rosa Saturday.

Jake Dashiell and Alvin Whittaker drove out to Gravelly Sunday.

Harry Pickle had the misfortune to be shot through the toe with a .22 rifle. He and his cousin, Harold Dunn, had the gun and were playing with it. Harry was immediately rushed to Ukiah, where expert medical aid was given and no serious results are anticipated from the accident.

Miss Hazel McGuffin, a student at the San Jose teachers college, spent the holidays with her parents here.

Alfred Orr of Redwood valley, was a business visitor to the valley Monday.

Mrs. Frank Rupe and son, Francis of Willits, is visiting her sisters, Mrs. Harry Hopper and Mrs. Otto Hughes, this week.

Mrs. Edward Walker slipped off a culvert at her home Thursday evening and broke her arm. She was taken to Ukiah, where the arm was examined and set and she is now convalescing.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Frost and family returned from Berkeley Thursday. Mrs. Frost's father and brother were here over the week end Mr. Frost accompanied them to Berkeley on their return trip.

Robert Brooks left Friday to resume his studies at the Sacramento junior college.

Lawrence Clark and Bonita Hughes left Sunday for Arcata, where they are students at the Humboldt state teachers college.

Miss Joan Moulton, of Ukiah, was a house guest at the Scott Clark home last Thursday and Friday. Miss Doris Clark accompanied Miss Joan to Ukiah Saturday and remained with her until Sunday.

Percy Whitcomb is up from Mill Valley to stay for awhile. He is staying at the Charles Hardisty home and goes to Ukiah every day to work.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Brooks and family have returned from a trip to Ripon.

Clarence Nicks came back Sunday from a vacation trip to the coast.

Garing McGee and Mrs. Mary B. Coble are in Yuba City, where they are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Brock.

The scholarship society of the high school is working on a play, "Miss Adventure," which they hope to present soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Holland and son drove up from Ukiah Sunday. Mr. Holland held church services in the church Sunday afternoon.

Next Sunday Mr. Sherman of Redwood valley, will preach at 11:00 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs .Bert Dunn were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pickle New Year's day.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dickey were hosts to a group of relatives New Year's day. The guests were all members of the family—Mr. and Mrs. James Eddie, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Eddie and children, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Schurr and children.

Dinner guests at the P. B. Westerman home on New Year's day included Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Eddie, Don Eddie, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Spotswood, Margaret Spotswood. At the game of bridge which followed Mr. and Mrs. Spotswood were awarded high scores.

Mrs. Ferhman, mother of Lloyd Hughes and Mrs. Raymond Starr, is very ill in Crescent City. Mrs. Ferhman is also a sister of Mrs. O. T. Filben.

Frank McCombs, of Covelo, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Foster.

Maybert Brush and Miss Helen Brush left Sunday for Pittsburg and Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. George Allen and daughter were visiting Colusa county friends over the week end.

Senator and Mrs. R. R. Ingels and children returned from Fresno Wednesday. Sunday, Senator Ingels and Miss Mary Helen enjoyed a round of golf at Lucerne.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Clark and daughters visited Hopland friends Sunday.

The Misses Elaine, Elise and Betsy Brower were guests of Upper Lake relatives from Wednesday to Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Shurd Burris were Lake county visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Shoemaker were hosts to a number of dinner guests New Year's eve. In the party were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Moncrief, Mrs. Kate Raymond, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brush, and Maybert Brush.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Adams entertained members of the pioneer Busch family at a dinner New Year's day.

Miss Gwinn Polmere, accompanied by her mother, were week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hopkins. Miss Polmere was en route to her school at Garberville. Her mother will visit her there for a few months.

Last Saturday night the two town teams were victorious in a game of basketball over the Kelseyville A and B teams.

On Friday evening, January 8, the high school teams will play the first league game of the season with the A and B teams of Lakeport.

Mrs. Leard, Vernon Leard and John Newman drove to Lakeport Sunday to get Ilene Leard, who spent the week with her sister, Mrs. Baldwin.

LOOKING AFTER BUSINESS

Murray Gow, of Petaluma, a member of the M. Vonsen company, is here for a short stay managing the local store in the absence of Werner Holzhauser, who is recuperating from the effects of an automobile accident he suffered two weeks ago. Gow is a guest at the Palace hotel.

H. E. Erskine, accompanied by his wife, was a visitor New Year's day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Hull on north Oak street. Mrs. Erskine is a daughter of the Ukiah people. They reside in St. Helena.

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News That Was Interesting the People of Ukiah Twenty and Ten Years Ago

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The new board of directors of the Commercial Bank of Ukiah organized by electing W. P. Thomas, president, H. B. Muir, vice-president, E. L. Cunningham, cashier, J. G. Thomas, assistant cashier, and Miss Nettie Taylor, clerk.

Elmer Evans, who shot himself accidentally last Sunday, is progressing favorably under the care of Dr. S. L. Rea.

The control of the Northwestern Pacific railroad has passed from the Southern Pacific to the Santa Fe.

Tom Farrance and wife left San Francisco last Sunday en route to Mazatlan, Mexico, where they will spend the winter.

J. B. Morse died in Ukiah last Thursday, aged 82 years.

C. Burnam Heryford, secretary of the Anderson Valley chamber of commerce, was in town on business this week.

Miss Marguerite Connolly and Miss Avis Cureton tied for the highest standing at the Lake county teachers' examination, last week.

Misses Beatrice Wallach and Edna Sweet, of Boonville, were in Ukiah last Sunday.

Louis Hofman returned from the city Sunday with his wife and infant daughter and the latter's nurse.

Mrs. W. B. Hagans has returned from Berkeley, whither she went to attend the funeral of J. F. Barbee.

Sheriff R. R. Byrnes was in San Francisco on official business this week.

Allie Roth came down from Willits Saturday, where he has been visiting his folks.

W. W. Porterfield has rented his home to Colonel Graham, resident superintendent of the Snow Mt. Water and Power Co.

The Saturday Afternoon Club held its annual guest day at the home of Mrs. E. B. Gibson last Saturday. The hostesses were Mesdames Gibson, Mannon, McCowen, Marks, Seawell and Miss Reaves.

There was born to the wife of Geo. Studebaker at Philo, December 28, a son.

There was born to the wife of Horace Onyette, at Palermo, January 1, a son.

Mrs. Mary Fairbanks, a coast pioneer, died at Manchester January 3, aged 83 years.

There was born to the wife of Bert Hinton at Redwood valley, December 31, a son.

There was born to Mrs. C. H. Raines (nee Gladys Rhodes) in San Francisco, last week, a son .

L. W. Babcock and T. J. Weldon were the speakers at the annual banquet of the Ukiah aerie of Eagles at I. O. O. F. hall yesterday evening.

Werner Holzhauser leaves this week for San Francisco to enter Heald's business college.

Deputy Grand Chancellor G. W. Stout installed the officers of Ukiah Lodge No. 213, K. P. Wednesday evening. The work was faultless.

January 13, 1922

The members of the Ed Zeni family of the south coast died of trichinosis last week and seven others are in the county hospital.

Judge H. L. Preston has completed the first year of his incumbency and in all of the six cases appealed his judgment has been sustained.

Mrs. Alaminta Lambert, mother of George and William Lambert of this city, and a former pioneer woman of this county, celebrated her 92nd birthday at a dinner given in her honor by Mrs. William Lambert last Saturday.

Henry Grady Sanford, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sanford, was the honor student at the Hasting's College of Law for the past semester.

Ralph Kunzler and Miss Myrtle Hull were married by Judge Hurley at his home in this city January 3.

Rev. J. H. Hughes, pastor of the Ukiah Christian church in 1894, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Taza Hughes, at Nicol, Contra Costa county, aged 76 years.

Rex Ingram's $1,000,000 production of "Th eFour Horsemen of the Apocalypse," starring Rudolph Valentino, is announced by the Victory theater for next week.

J. G. Newman was installed master of the Potter Valley Grange on January 7.

Attorney Caspar A. Ornbaun, of San Francisco, spent New Years with his mother, Mrs. J. S. Ornbaun, at Yorkville.

Railroad Man Dies At Hopland Sunday

Charles Frederick Klein, veteran railroad man, died Sunday night at the home of Carl Lambert, in Hopland, of a heart attack, while staying over night with the Lamberts.

Klein was accompanied by his wife and they were on their way north on a pleasure trip. He had suffered light attacks off and on over a period of time and did not feel well shortly before he retired for the evening.

The deceased and wife lived in San Rafael. He had retired from active service on the railroad.

He was well known and had many friends in Willits and Ukiah, who are grieved to learn of his passing.

The body was shipped to San Rafael, where burial took place this week.

IS CONVALESCING

M. A. Contel, partner in the North State garage, is home convalescing, after a recent operation in a San Francisco hospital. He is very much improved in health and will soon resume his duties at the garage.

J. B. Sanford has offered his resignation as register of the San Francisco U. S. Land Office, to take effect January 1.

Mrs. Belle Bevans returned to Potter valley Saturday from a visit to her sister, Mrs. R. M. English, at Fullerton.

Andrew Sinclair and family, of Potter valley, spent the holidays with relatives at Pasadena.

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RESOURCES

	Bank of America N.T. & S.A.	Bank of America A California State Bank	COMBINED
Cash in Vault and in Federal Reserve Bank	$29,000,572.88	$2,063,163.26	
Deposits with Other Banks and Bankers	41,766,678.14	1,687,342.22	$74,517,756.50
United States Bonds and Certificates of Indebtedness	142,765,325.19	5,943,200.37	
State, County and Municipal Bonds	68,547,419.50	8,661,821.20	
Other Bonds and Securities	23,653,111.55	6,102,553.49	255,673,431.30
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	3,000,000.00	None	3,000,000.00
Loans, Discounts and Bankers' Acceptances	548,431,953.52	29,134,215.81	577,566,169.33
Bank Premises, Furniture, Fixtures and Safe Deposit Vaults*	43,054,331.20	2,247,457.15	45,301,788.35
Other Real Estate Owned	1,692,164.71	None	1,692,164.71
Customers' Liability on Account of Letters of Credit, Acceptances and Endorsed Bills	14,150,227.11	18,500.00	14,168,727.11
Other Resources	9,088,368.18	29,660.46	9,118,028.64
Total Resources	$925,150,151.98	$55,887,913.96	$981,038,065.94

LIABILITIES

Capital	$50,000,000.00	$4,000,000.00	
Surplus	50,000,000.00	2,000,000.00	
Undivided Profits	4,290,311.56	282,236.18	110,572,547.74
Reserves for Dividends, Contingencies, etc.	1,498,977.00	99,837.83	1,598,814.83
Reserves for Interest, Taxes and Accrued Expenses	895,252.14	63,382.18	958,634.32
Circulation	15,000,000.00	None	15,000,000.00
Bills Payable and Rediscounts	19,000,000.00	None	19,000,000.00
Agreements to Repurchase U. S. Government and Other Securities	20,353,454.84	None	20,353,454.84
Liability for Letters of Credit and as Acceptor, Endorser or Maker on Acceptances and Foreign Bills	14,315,384.75	18,500.00	14,333,884.75
Deposits	749,796,771.69	49,423,957.77	799,220,729.46
Total Liabilities	$925,150,151.98	$55,887,913.96	$981,038,065.94

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TOWN TOPICS

By OLIVE E. BUSCH

Birthday Party for Miss Pearl Ogle

A delightful birthday party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Charlton on north Oak street last night in honor of Miss Pearl Ogle, niece of Mrs. Charlton, who resides in Ornbaun valley, but who is making her home in Ukiah while attending high school.

A color scheme of pink was carried out on the table, including place cards, carnations, and a large birthday cake, adorned with candles.

Immediately after dinner the guests were invited to attend the theatre.

Miss Ogle is a senior at the local high school and is a very popular member of the younger set. Those who attended the natal event were: Martha, Mary, Odette, and Alice Valette, Orletta Haun, Winnie Allen, Mary Braun, Dorothy Campbell, Mary Smith, Pearl Ogle, Mrs. Earl Snyder, of Ornbaun valley, sister of Miss Ogle, and Mrs. J. L. Charlton.

Military Men Visit Here

Sergeant Patterson and Corporal Jennings, Battery A, Coast Artillery, drove up from the Presidio at San Francisco Saturday to spend the week end in Ukiah with the young men of this city who were at the Citizens' Military Training Camp last summer, including M. M. Miller, Francis Rudd, Theodore Heryford, Lyndell Foster, and Elston Holland.

The local young men entertained the officers at a banquet at the home of Mac Miller on School street, Saturday evening.

Sergeant Peterson arranged with Francis Rudd to enroll any new applicant who may desire to take training next summer.

Daughter Born In Toller Family

There was born at the Ukiah General hospital at 3:00 a. m. Wednesday, January 6, to the wife of Dr. R. B. Toller, a daughter. The little one is the first child in the Toller family and the first grand child in the W. B. Hagans family, and will enjoy all the prestige and privilege pertaining to primogeniture.

The little daughter weighed six pounds and 14 ounces, and has been pounds and 14 ounces.

According to Dr. J. J. Kirwin, the attending physician, both mother and babe are progressing favorably.

Rotary Club Meets at Palace

The Ukiah Rotary Club held the first meeting of the new year at the Palace hotel Tuesday noon with F. A. Yates presiding.

County Clerk Harry Burke, chairman of the day, presented a very interesting program consisting of community singing of Rotary songs led by H. T. Harvey and an able address by J. E. Robinson, business manager of the Mendocino state hospital, on the important subject of financing state institutions. His talk contained both humor and pathos, and many interesting facts and figures.

Carpenter Cruise To Pacific Isles

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Carpenter took their departure on the 11:00 a. m. train Monday on the initial lap of their trip to the Hawaiian Islands.

They sailed on the Manoa at noon on January 6, and are looking forward with pleasure to their cruise in Pacific waters.

They will spend several weeks in the balmy clime of the Pacific Isles.

Lions Club

The Ukiah Lions club met at their regular weekly luncheon yesterday at noon with Preston Cherry, the president, in the chair. A savings account was started for Barbara Ann Toller, newly-arrived daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Toller, as the principal business the the session.

E. A. Eversole reported on the activities of the chamber of commerce relief committee. Messrs. Eversole, Henrich and Brunner were appointed a committee to take charge of the arrangements for ladies' night, to be held the latter part of January. Henry Spurr gave a talk in behalf of the chamber of commerce membership drive, urging all Lions to join the chamber of commerce and give it their unstinted support.

W. K. Davis, permanent entertainment chairman, outlined a series of talks he has planned to be given by various prominent business men and other citizens during the current year on the subject, "Ukiah's Greatest Needs."

Joe Weber was received into membership on transfer from the Santa Rosa club.

Teacher Visits Ukiah Friends

Miss Virginia Herron, of San Mateo, arrived in this city Tuesday evening where she is the guest of Mrs. Howell Brown and Miss Zelpha Kehoe.

Miss Herron is the third grade teacher of the Park grammar school of San Mateo, where she also is an instructor in physical education, music and dramatics.

Mrs. Brown entertained at an informal bridge party Tuesday evening in compliment to Miss Herron.

Building Continues In North Section

Oreste Pardini, who has been residing in the Smith house on Gibson street, has purchased from Mrs. Cora Van Nader the house at 144 Gibson street, which was recently vacated by W. D. Ford.

The Pardini family will soon move into their new home.

It is reported that Mrs. Van Nader will build another house on Gibson street. This section of the city in the neighborhood of north State street continues to build and grow.

SALLADYS HOLD REUNION

For the first time in 15 years, Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Sallady, former Ukiah residents, held a family reunion at their home at 905 King St., Santa Rosa, during the holiday season. All their children and grand children were present, among them being Mr. and Mrs. H. Muns and children, of San Diego; Mr. and Mrs. Russell Patterson and son, of Hopland; Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Osborn and daughters; Miss Gladys Sallady, of Santa Rosa. Other guests at the Christmas dinner were Mr. and Mrs. F. Updegraf, of Ukiah; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Patterson, of Alexander valley; C. H. Crist, of Sausalito.

W. C. T. U. MEETS

Mrs. R. E. Houdeshell will preside at an important meeting of the Ukiah W. C. T. U. at the home of Mrs. L. Hoag at 777 W. Perkins street at 2:30 p. m. today.

The program has been planned to commemorate the 12th anniversary of prohibition.

STUDENT NURSE VISITS HERE

Miss Irma Hunt, a student nurse, was up from Oakland for a few days' visit this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hunt.

Bridge Party Honors Mrs. George Williams

An enjoyable evening of bridge was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Lieurance at Oak and Mill streets Wednesday night in honor of Mrs. George Williams, of Omaha, Nebraska, mother of Mrs. J. J. Kirwin.

Three tables of bridge were played, Mrs. Ida Brown receiving the first prize, Mrs. Jas. Mannon, the second, and Miss Shirley Perry, the third. Those who enjoyed the hospitality of the hostess during the evening were: Mesdames Ida Brown, Rena Stout, D. M. Grant, Terrill Duncan, Stewart Grant, J. J. Kirwin, George Williams, Nina Banker, Ruel Stickney, Jas. Mannon, Mary Smith, J. A. Jamison, and Miss Shirley Perry.

Near the close of the evening dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

TRAINING AT S. F. HOSPITAL

Mrs. F. M. Swim will accompany her daughter, Miss Sadie Swim, to San Francisco tomorrow.

Miss Swim, who graduated from the Ukiah high school last year, will enter Franklin hospital to train as a nurse.

PERSONAL ITEMS

Lester Raffelson, of Kansas City, who has been spending the winter in Santa Barbara, is now in Ukiah where he is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Dennen.

NEW YEARS BALL WAS USUAL BIG SUCCESS

The New Years ball given by the Ukiah fire department was the usual success and was the outstanding social event of the holidays. The firemen were well patronized and realized a considerable sum to go into their treasury from which the cost of many needed items of equipment is defrayed from time to time.

TO TEST LIGHTS

It has been announced by M. A. Contel and R. A. Millard, partners of the new North State garage, recently opened, that they have been appointed official light testing station number 290. New equipment has been installed to take care of this work as well as brake testing.

CAMPAIGN STARTS

The 1932 political campaign started this week with the announcement in the Fort Bragg Advocate of the candidacy of T. J. Simpson, of Fort Bragg, for the office of supervisor of the fourth district.

Supervisor Charles Perkins is at present representing the fourth district.

LOCALS

Tony Bernott, of Covelo, was a Ukiah visitor on business the early part of the week.

Dr. and Mrs. L. K. Van Allen leave today for their summer home on the Klamath river, where they will spend the week end. They expect to return Tuesday afternoon.

E. D. Bean, father of D. Bean, one of the partners in the new Signal oil company station, is here visiting his son for a few days. He resides in Santa Rosa.

Hons Albert, Luther T. Hansen, accompanied by Mr. Perry and his daughter Evelyn, residents of Ferndale, spent yesterday in San Francisco attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Rice, son and daughter-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rice, have moved to Ukiah to make their permanent home. Rice has accepted a position with the Northwestern Pacific railroad.

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If there is anything that you want the quickest and best way to supply that want is by placing an advertisement in this paper

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Washington Always the Idol of the Populace

On the day that John Adams was inaugurated as President, Washington was greeted at the Capital, then in Philadelphia, with a volume of cheers and enthusiastic acclamation which even exceeded the demonstration which followed the appearance of the newly elected President.

Having taken the oath of office, Mr. Adams, in his inaugural address, spoke of his predecessor as one "who, by a long course of great action, regulated by prudence, justice, temperance, and fortitude, has merited the gratitude of his fellow citizens, commands the highest praises of foreign nations, and secured immortal glory with posterity."

At the close of the ceremony, as Washington moved forward toward the door to retire, there was a rush from the gallery to the corridor that for a time threatened serious injury to many of the spectators in their eagerness to catch a last look of one who had so long been the object of public veneration.

When Washington was in the street he waved his hat and returned the cheers of the multitude, his gray hair streaming in the wind. The crowd followed him to his door; there, turning round, his face assumed a grave and almost melancholy expression, his eyes were bathed in tears, his emotions were too great for utterance, and only by gestures could he indicate his thanks and convey his final blessing.—Kansas City Times.

First Elephant Billed as "Natural Curiosity"

It may interest some folks to learn that the first elephant, the "celebrated Buffon," made its debut in this country in the spring of 1799.

On exhibition at the Essex institute, a museum at Salem, Mass., is the original poster announcing that "the greatest natural curiosity ever presented to the curious" will be on display at the Market house "from sunrise to sundown, every day in the week." The date on the poster is August 29, 1797.

The elephant was brought to this country from Bengal aboard the ship "America," commanded by Capt. Jacob Crowninshield, a famous Salem shipmaster. Landed at New York in April, 1797, it was sold by Captain Crowninshield for $10,000.

Though referred to in the announcement as a "mere colt," the elephant was four years old and weighed slightly more than 3,000 pounds.

Ohio's First Capital

Chillicothe was the first capital of Ohio. In 1800 the seat of government of the Northwest territory was removed from Cincinnati to Chillicothe, and in that year the statehouse was commenced for the accommodation of the territorial legislature and courts. It was finished the following year and the legislature held its session in it for the first time. The convention that framed the constitution of Ohio was held in the new building, and the first state legislature met here in April, 1803. The legislatures continued to meet here until 1810. The sessions of 1810-11 and 1811-12 were held at Zanesville, and from there removed back to Chillicothe, where they were held until 1816, when Columbus became the permanent capital. The first settlement in Ohio was made at Marietta.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Sophisticated Hens

Adirondack hens have become so expert at dodging motor cars and they have so perfected their technique as not only to save their lives, but also to obtain free rides. A motorist passing through Westport on his way to Elizabethtown, in the American Adirondacks, was sure he ran over a hen. He stopped his machine to look back, but could see nothing of the chicken. Upon arriving at the county seat a hen thrust her head through the spokes of one of the front wheels with a triumphant cackle. She then hopped to the road from the front axle where she evidently had been throughout the six-mile ride. Going to the side of the road she awaited the approach of another car going in the direction of the home roost.

Anne Hathaway

Little is known concerning Anne Hathaway. She lived at Shottery, a village near Stratford, where her thatched cottage still attracts thousands of pilgrims. On the settle, where it is said that she and Shakespeare courted, many young travelers now sit in conformity to the tradition that sitting thereon will insure a happy marriage. Anne is mentioned in Shakespeare's bond for license of marriage, dated November 28, 1582. She is known to have remained in Stratford during the years Shakespeare lived in London. Anne Shakespeare survived her husband seven years.

Parting Shot

An Irish mistress who had the reputation of being very mean in household matters had engaged a new cook, and in order that she should not compare notes with the outgoing girl, she arranged that they should have separate vehicles to and from the station.

But the girl who was leaving was equal to the occasion, and as the two cars passed each other on the road she stood up in hers and shouted at the top of her voice: "If ye can't eat scraps, Heaven help ye!"

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One Hundred Men in Navarro State Camp

Clyde Edmondson to Be Speaker at Farm Center Meeting. Other Boonville Notes.

BOONVILLE, Jan. 7.—Mrs. Martin and son of Santa Rosa and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Pardini and son of Greenwood spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pardini of Navarro.

Mrs. Jessie B. McCarty was a business visitor in Cloverdale Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry deRosier, Miss Dorothy and Perry Hulbert motored to Fort Bragg Sunday where they passed a pleasant day with relatives.

Misses Marguerite McAbee and Betty Ward of this valley both successfully passed the teachers' examination recently given in Ukiah.

Misse sChrystine and Wanda Burke of Ukiah, but formerly of this place, were here to attend the dance given by the local I. O. O. F. Saturday night.

Mrs. Zanoni, of Navarro, went to San Francisco recently to stay for the winter. Sh ewas accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Joe Modenese, who passed a week in the city atetnding to business interests there.

O. H. Robinson has been confined to his bed for several days with a bad vold but is now improving.

Miss Josie Estes passed a few days in the Ukiah hospital, recovering from a bad case of tonsilitis, during the past week.

The dance given by the I. O. O. F. December 2 was well attended and everyone reports a very pleasant evening.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Bilderbach, of San Rafael, visited relatives in the valley this week.

Through the efforts of Supervisor Haehl, Clyde Edmondson, general manager of the Redwood Empire Association, has been secured as speaker at the farm center Monday night, January 18. Needless to say, his subject will be "Roads," which should be of interest to every resident of the valley. Mr. Haehl has been trying for some time to get Mr. Edmondson here for a farm center meeting but due to his numerous engagements it was hard to get a date that he had open. It's to be hoped that a good attendance will reward his efforts.

Boonville school opened this week with Mrs. V. R. Rawles substituting for Mrs. Austin Rawles for the balance of the school year.

H. D. Baker and C. Overaa, contractors, are back on the house-moving job after the holidays and are at present working on the J. T. Farrer store building, which they will lower about ten inches to bring it to sidewalk level. A cement porch floor will replace the one now in use. The contractors will likely be here for the balance of the winter as several more places have to be moved and the work seems to be going slowly.

George Tritchler left this week for Willits to spend the winter with his mother, Mrs. Oscar Bramblet. He will continue his high school studies there.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. St. John, Caroline St. John, and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Farrer motored to Ukiah Sunday for a talkie.

Mrs. D. T. McCarthy and small daughter joined the rest of the family here during the holidays.

By hard work the Ukiah road is being kept open but is still not in very good shape and most of the traffic is being routed by the Mountain House.

Mrs. Ada Hartly of Ukiah, is visiting her sister, Mrs. B. M. Field.

Newel Rawles left Thursday for Berkeley to continue his studies at the U. C., where he is a senior.

The local high school basketball teams meet Cloverdale high school teams on the latter's court Friday evening, January 8.

A half dozen needy families of this valley were generously remembered by the Elks with Christmas baskets, each containing a good-sized order of groceries. The purchasing and distribution were in charge of J. M. Hutsell. He was assisted by V. R. Rawles.

Oscar Johnson was a Mendocino city visitor on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cureton and Oliver Cureton visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cureton, over Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Henley and family, of Geyserville, passed Christmas with Mrs. Henley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Slotte have as their guests during the holidays their neices, Miss Irma Heinholtsen of Eureka, and Miss Frances West, of Mendocino.

Mr. and Mrs . A. J. Rowen and daughter, Barbara, were guests at the Martin Gleason home during the holidays, arriving on Christmas eve as a surprise.

One hundred single men, under control of state fire wardens, are being put into Navarro camps for shelter, beds, food and doctor's care. Several truck loads arrived during the past week. They are to work five hours a day, fire trailing, for their two meals, which the state of California furnishes. The Southern Pacific furnishes the cook house and dining rooms.

Mr. and Mrs. Follett Morris were here from Healdsburg to spend the New Year with Mrs. Morris's father, Attorney J. R. Thomas, and with other friends and relatives.

Optician to Locate Business in Ukiah

Dr. E. C. Roberts Brings Machine for Grinding Lenses, First Seen Here

People of this community who are suffering from eye trouble will be glad to learn that Dr. C. E. Roberts, prominent optician from Oakland, has opened offices in the Smith jewelry company, on Standley street.

The doctor comes well recommended from some of the largest optical companies in the state, having been connected with them before moving to Ukiah. He is a graduate of the Kansas school of optometry and has been practising for 28 years. In his office he will specialize in the correcting of vision and giving eye comfort.

Dr. Roberts brings with him numerous scientific instruments for testing the eyes, a complete lens grinding machine, and latest shop equipment. Lenses will be ground on the premises, avoiding delay.

The opening of the new firm marks the seventh business to open in a period of two months.

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From Old Files of Dispatch-Democrat

News That Was Interesting the People of Ukiah Twenty and Ten Years Ago

January 4, 1932

PATENT:

United States to Sam Williams, dated Nov 19 1931. SE¼ of SE¼ Sec 34, W½ of SW¼ Sec 35; T 14 N R 13 W MDM.

Mary Miner et vir to Ellen Copsey, dated Dec 8 1931. Property in Ukiah on south Oak St.

Charles H Robinson to Mary Miner, dated Dec 8 1931. Property in Ukiah on south Oak St.

Associated Oil Co to Oliver L Olson, dated Dec 7 1931. "Pleasure auto camp," located in N½ of NE¼ Sec 4 T 19 N R 14 W MDM.

DECREE OF DISTRIBUTION:

Charles F Van Damme estate to Alice A Van Damme, dated Dec 11 1931. Property at Little River distributed to Alice A Van Damme during her lifetime, then to go to State of California and property known as "The Van Damme Memorial Park" distributed to State of California. Also certain personal property distributed to various parties.

DEED OF TRUST:

Clare E Mehtlan et vir, trustors; A H Shafsky and Harold T Bolden, trustees; The Coast National Bank of Fort Bragg, beneficiary; dated Dec 31 1931. Lot 11 and S½ of Lot 12 in Blk 54, City of Fort Bragg. $1500.

COMMISSIONER'S CERTIFICATE OF SALE:

James E Busch (Commissioner) to Reino Salo et ux, dated Jan 4 1932. Lot 15 in Blk 43 and N½ of Lot 11, Blk 25, City of Fort Bragg and E½ of Lot 50, Addition to City of Fort Bragg, being in Sec 6 T 18 N R 17 W MDM consisting of 2½ acres of land. $1738.79.

MORTGAGE:

Thos Gullickson et ux to Lottie Lambert, dated Jan 2 1932. Property in Sec 31 T 17 N R 12 W MDM. $500.

CHATTEL MORTGAGE:

F E Bertsch to F W Gowan, dated Jan 4 1932. All tools and equipment and machinery located in that certain machine shop operated by mortgagor at corner of Clay and State streets, Ukiah. $183.

RELEASE OF MORTGAGE:

The Coast National Bank of Fort Bragg to Clare E Mehtlan et vir, dated Dec 31 1931. Releases mortgage recorded in book 17 of official records, page 490.

CANCELLATION OF CHATTEL MORTGAGE:

F E Bertsch to F W Gowan. Cancels mortgage recorded in book 66 of official records, page 414.

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Body of Cortes Rests in Mexico City Church

The Mexican government announced not long ago that it is in possession of documents proving definitely that the remains of Hernando Cortes, Spanish conqueror of Mexico, are in the central altar of the church of Jesus Nazareno in Mexico City, says Pathfinder Magazine. For more than a century there has been a mystery as to the final disposition of the remains of Cortes. He died near Seville, Spain, on December 2, 1547, and his ashes were sent to Mexico about 15 years later and placed in the hospital founded by him in the Mexican capital. When the agitation against everything Spanish was at its height in 1823 the ashes of the conquerer were removed to the church near the hospital for fear that they might be desecrated. The church, which will be made a Cortes shrine, is near the hospital which still benefits by the will of Cortes. The conqueror of Mexico, like many other Spanish heroes of the time, was neglected after he returned to Spain. There is a story to the effect that he once forced his way through a throng around the carriage of Emperor Charles and mounted the step. Charles demanded who he was. "I am a man," Cortes replied, "who has given you more provinces than your ancestors left you cities."

Sausages as Tithes

In the town of Demen, Germany, it seems, the church is entitled to receive 130 pounds of a certain kind of sausage, known as Mettwurst every year from the local tithe-payers. Recently the latter refused to supply the ration of sausage. The church invoked the aid of the law, and the tithe payers had to deliver the customary Mettwurst. But the church was still unsatisfied—the sausage, it was alleged, was not up to standard—it contained too much beef. Mettwurst has always been a source of trouble in Mecklenburg-Schwerin. In many parishes the local clergyman was entitled to so many ells of the sausage from his parishoners. He always got the right length, but if he were unpopular, the Mettwurst was of the smallest possible thickness, there being nothing in the bond regarding its diameter.

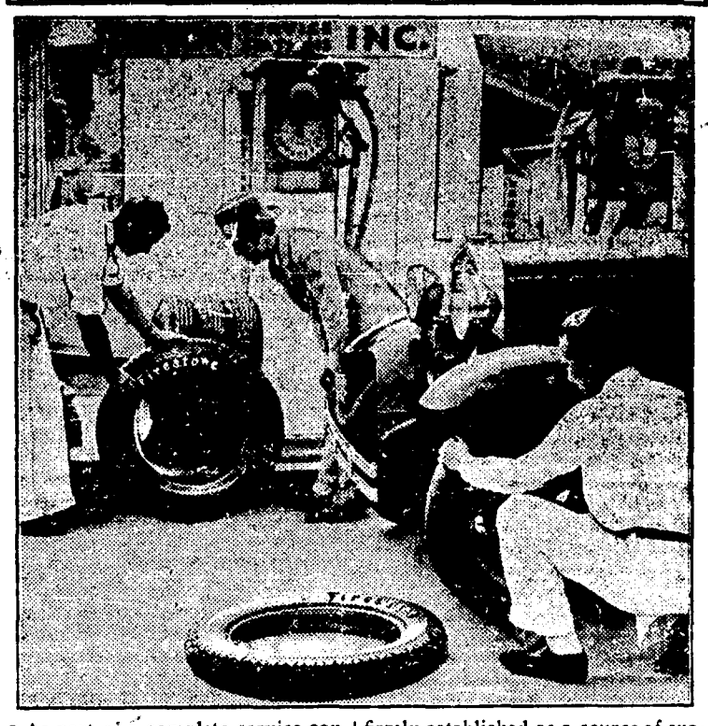
Castle of Sleeping Beauty

The ancestral castle of the counts of Eltz is one of the finest in Germany, resting high on a precipitous rock, with cloud-piercing tower and rimmed with dark green woods. This is the castle made famous by Sleeping Beauty, if legend is to be believed. It dates back to the Twelfth century and its gray walls have seen many a battle waged. It might almost be said to be three castles in one, grouned about an inner court, and each of the three has its own entry. It is full of the paraphernalia of dream-haunted rooms, heavy iron-bound chests, carved doors, old pewter, massive refectory tables which surely have often trembled beneath their loads of venison, wine and the thunderous merriment of feasters.

Nature a Partnership

Without plants animal life would disappear from the earth and without animal life our plants would be different in many ways. Some plants would even cease to exist, says Forests and Mankind. Many of our flowers depend on bees and nectar seeking insects to spread their pollen to other flowers and form fertile life bearing seeds. Without bees such plants would soon become extinct and without their nectar, life for the bees would become impossible. So in a sense all nature is a vast partnership.

Union Service Stations Now Ready To Give Complete Firestone Tire Service



As part of a complete service covering all essential automotive requirements, Union Service Stations, Inc., is now equipped to serve motorists with Firestone Gum-Dipped Tires, and with Firestone Batteries and Accessories. Every Union service man is a graduate tire specialist, having been thoroughly trained by Firestone to give car owners the most efficient possible tire service.

J. H. Dasteel, general manager of Union Service Stations, Inc., reports that the stations of this organization, which total nearly 800 in the Pacific Coast States, have already become firmly established as a source of supply for Firestone tires, as evidenced by the fact tire sales have exceeded all expectations.

"The modern service station such as comprises the system of Union Service Stations, Inc., is a logical place for motorists to come for tires," says Dasteel, "not alone because of convenience or the efficient service in mounting, but of greater importance, the service that is rendered after the tires are in use. Only when tires are kept properly inflated and inspected can they be expected to deliver all of the mileage originally inbuilt at the factory."

REDWOOD VALLEY

REDWOOD VALLEY, Jan. 6.—The Grangers gave a successful watch party New Year's eve at the local hall.

The new Grangers for the ensuing year are: Master, Fred Finne; overseer, Ted Richey; lecturer, Mrs. Mary Finne; chaplain, Mrs. Christina Rutler; steward, Clyde Richey; Pomona, Mrs. Olive Cromwell; Ceres, Marie Bakker; Flora, Doris Ford; assistant steward, A. J. Frye; assistant lady steward, Mrs. Lulu Ford; secretary, Mrs. Blanche Richey; gatekeeper, A. O. Boyd.

Guests at the Roy Ford home for New Year's dinner were Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Reynolds of Ukiah, and Mrs. Harry Matthews and son, Patsy.

Mrs. Matthews and son spent several days of the Christmas holidays at their home here, returning to Oakland Sunday, so Mrs. Matthews could resume her duties as a teacher in an Oakland school.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hoffman, who have spent several months here, left last week for their home in Los Angeles.

The Grange will hold its regular meeting Friday night, January 8.

Orville Hayes left Sunday for Anderson valley, where he will be employed.

Desmond Ford was a Boonville visitor Sunday.

School reopened Monday, with two new faces among the teachers. Miss Edna Byers, efficient fifth and sixth grade teacher, tendered her resignation to accept a position under Mr. Zeek in the Calistoga school. Miss Dorothy Kurtland, of Sacramento, has been selected to succeed her. Miss Geraldine Wilson, third and fourth grade teacher, had a very bad cold when school closed for the holiday vacation. She went to her home at Albion to rest. The cold developed into flu, followed by pneumonia. She was just able to leave the hospital this week and will not be able to teach for some time. Mrs. Mary Lawson is substituting for her.

Mrs. Mary J. Lewis and son, Pat, and daughter, Elizabeth, spent several days as guests at the Zeek home in Calistoga last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Hewlett and two sons, Geoffrey and Kenneth, were guests at the Schoenleitner home over the New Year holidays.

Marian Fisher was critically ill during the past week, a victim of double pneumonia. Her aunt, Mrs. Laura Sanford, of Lakeport, who is a trained nurse, helped nurse her. She is thought to be out of danger now.

Mrs. A. Fisher is a flu and pneumonia victim at the Schoenleitner home. Her condition was extremely serious Saturday but is somewhat improved at present. She is 75 years of age and had not yet recovered from a recent automobile accident when she contracted the flu.

Mrs. Joe Brown was called to San Francisco last week by the sudden death of her brother, Charles Werner.

John Pasero returned last week from a ten days' visit to Fort Bragg.

Mrs. J. H. Belveal is having a new tank tower erected. Gschwend Bros. are doing the work.

The Sunday school will hold a business meeting at the clubhouse Friday night.

The farm bureau meets Tuesday night at the school house. Lily Gherlone and Katie Pasero will have charge of the social program. There will be community singing. A representative of the farm advisor's office will be present. All are cordially invited.

Jack Perkins, accompanied by L. A. Howie, motored to the coast section on business the first of the week.

The Ladies' Aid meets Thursday afternoon with Mrs. F. A. Howland and Mrs. C. H. Smith as hostesses.

Fred Cromwell is pulling stumps for G. Tongren.

Croesus Credited With Invention of Coinage

Authorities on the subject tell us that it is to Lydia that we owe the invention of coinage. In all times and in all countries, the privilege of coinage has been allowed the sovereign. Croesus of Lydia was the first monarch to introduce a bimetallic system of coinage—gold and silver in the proportion of about three to four. This was some time between 560 and 546 B. C. Metal was chosen, doubtless, by reason of its durability and, in the case of gold and silver, by reason of their intrinsic value. Silver and brass were first used, particularly in Greece, from a lack of sufficient gold. Later, however, this deficiency was overcome. The less liable a metal is to change in value, the better it is suited for a standard. The Greeks first issued real coin some time during the Seventh century, B. C. By the Fourth century the entire civilized world used money.

One Form of Vandalism That May Be Pardoned

"Vandalism!" exclaim most people when anyone defaces a monument or stone or tree with any sort of inscription. Of course, the comment is usually justified, but there are exceptions. Such scribbled remarks by "vandals" who lived 2,000 years ago or more have often shed light on the ways of ancient civilizations. And there are some modern inscriptions of this kind which may prove interesting to the archeologists of the future. Certainly, these "writings" prove that human nature has not altered much through the centuries. Among some of them left on the columns of an ancient Egyptian altar at Saggara by Australian troops who served in the World war, is the following: "I am the only survivor of my company which fought in Gallipoli. John Smith, Melbourne, 1917." An Egyptian hierogiyphic recently uncovered is worded in almost the same way: "I am the only survivor of my company which fought in Punt, and I have come to worship at the temple of my fathers." The Egyptian soldier who signed it lived over 3,000 years ago.

Significance of Linked S's in Mayoralty Chain

The golden chain made of linked S's has been used by London's chief magistrate for nearly 400 years. The existing chain was bequeathed to the mayoralty in 1545 by Sir John Aleyn, who had himself been lord mayor 20 years earlier, and was worn for the first time by Sir William Laxton in 1546. Sir John Aleyn's bequest took its curious form by reason of the popularity of the "S" design in Tudor times, when, together with the Tudor rose, it was the cognizance of the royal house. But long before that the "S" was a religious symbol, at a time when the universal piety caused every piece of jewelry to convey some heavenly significance. It is the initial letter of Sanctus, or holy, which starts the hymn, "Sanctus, Sanctus, Sanctus," chanted by the priest in celebrating mass. From this the "S" came to be regarded as an emblem of the Savior.

Ancient Road Builders

The ancient Romans were great road builders and were most active between the second and fourth centuries after Christ. These roads were universally straight and varied in width from eight to fifteen feet, going over hill and valley in spite of grades. Soldiers, slaves and criminals were employed in the construction of these highways, the durability of which is shown by the fact that, in some cases, they have sustained the traffic for 2,000 years without material injury. The Roman forum is said to have been the point of convergence of 24 roads, which, with branches, had a total length of 52,904 Roman miles. The Romans are said to have learned the art of road building from the Carthaginians.

LITTLE LAD IS HURT BY FALL

Laurence Pasero, of Navarro Is Injured And Surgical Aid Given

NAVARRO, Jan. 5.—Miss Gay Pellicci, formerly of Navarro but now of Cloverdale, is visiting the Madenese family.

Had Christmas Dance.

A dance was given at Perra's hall Christmas night and quite a crowd attended.

Miss Eva Madenese and grandmother, Mrs. Zanoni, are visiting friends and relatives in San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Rowan and daughter, of Watsonvile, passed the holidays here with Mr. and Mrs. M. Gleason, parents of Mrs. Rowan, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Pardini and Rena Falleri, of Greenwood, were Navarro visitors Friday .

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gleason passed the holidays at Oakland with Dr. and Mrs. Clark, parents of Mrs. Gleason.

Mrs. M. Bloyd, who is in the Redwood Coast hospital at Fort Bragg, will shortly be able to return home.

Mr. and Mrs. Soderlund and family were Christmas guests at the home of their daughter on Navarro Ridge.

Lawrence Pasero, of Navarro, was at Fort Bragg for a holiday visit with his wife and other relatives.

Misses Alice and Lena Noia, accompanied by L. Maore, were at Fort Bragg recently to visit Mrs. M. Bloyd.

Miss Edna Pasero passed the week-end at Fort Bragg visiting relatives and friends.

Wm. Witherell was a visitor at the Pete Gentili home during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. John Maroni and son are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Pardini, parents of Mrs. Maroni.

Robert Tyson was at Navarro to pass the holidays with his family.

Albert Guisti, of Navarro, passed the holidays at Fulton visiting with relatives.

Mrs. John MacDonald, who teaches school at Albion Ridge, passed the holidays at her home at Navarro.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Pardini and daughter, Betty Lou, were guests of the parents of Mrs. Pardini at Caspar Christmas.

Charles Zazoni, of San Francisco, passed the Christmas holiday with relatives here.

News Sadly Received.

The friends of the late Angelo Fratti, of Philo, who passed away Monday, were greatly shocked when they learned of his death.

Miss Vivian Nielsen, of Sunnyvale, was here last week enroute to Fort Bragg to visit Mrs. M. Bloyd.

Little Lad Was Hurt.

Little Laurence Pasero, Jr., grandson of Mr. and Mrs. John Pasero, of Navarro, fell down and cut his chin on a cup he was carrying. He was rushed to the Redwood Coast hospital, Fort Bragg, where surgeons took seven stitches to close the wound in his face.

SLIDE IN ROAD AT HARDY CREEK

A big slide on the Hardy Creek grade north of Juan Creek occurred this week. A crew of men is busy working it out and Supervisor Perkins expects to have it cleared and the road opened for travel in about three days. The roadbed was not carried out by the slide.—Advocate.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express to our friends our heartfelt thanks for the many kind expressions of sympathy and acts of kindness during our late bereavement.

Mrs. Sam C. Pickle and Daughter,
J. W. Pickle and Family. 1tp

Mrs. Mayme Byrnes and son and Mrs. Anna Tregoning, of Fort Bragg, were Ukiah visitors yesterday.

C. N. Snyder spent Wednesday and Thursday in Santa Rosa, attending to business.

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In the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Mendocino

IN THE MATTER OF THE SEMI-ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR OF THE COUNTY OF MENDOCINO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

To the Honorable, the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino:

W. F. Ornbaun, the Public Administrator of the County of Mendocino, State of California, respectfully makes his return and report of all estates of deceased persons which have come into his hands and remaining under his control, as Public Administrator, for the period of six months ending with and including the 31st day of December, 1931, said Report being made under and pursuant to Section 1736 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, and is as follows, to wit:

Name of Persons	Value of Estate	Cash Received	Cash Paid	Commissions	Expenses Incurred	Cash on Hand	Present Status
A. S. Hanson	$ 964.88	$ 964.88	$ 964.88	$ 96.50	$ 811.74	None	Closed
Edward A. Dunbar, alias	687.15	687.15	687.15	48.10	358.70	None	"
David A. Dobson	255.63	255.63	255.63	10.00	28.00	None	"
F. W. Perry	728.06	728.06	728.06	76.95	265.90	None	"
B. Weller	None	None	1.00	None	1.00	None	"
Mike Krnich	1,938.24	561.48	537.65	50.00	487.65	23.83	Pending
James Coyle	44,455.52	36,458.60	36,458.60	1,465.82	2,944.57	None	"
Cid Perry	5,000.00	None	12.00	None	12.00	None	"
Wm. Freeborn	298.00	54.00	44.00	3.75	40.25	10.00	"
Peter Bell	520.00	300.00	295.65	None	296.65	4.35	"
Clarence B. Lantz	400.00	None	1.00	None	1.00	None	"
Charles A. McFaul	302.79	202.79	47.71	None	47.71	155.08	"
Martha McCord	500.00	55.00	12.00	None	12.00	43.00	"
Enrico Biagini	1,013.53	1,013.53	18.00	None	256.00	995.53	"
J. P. Erickson	1,128.79	1,128.79	838.44	71.15	324.15	290.35	"
Crazio Crescini	417.50	417.50	226.83	None	318.99	190.67	"
John Wesley O'Dell	288.00	288.00	None	None	202.00	288.00	"
Rosa Davis	250.00	None	None	None	18.00	None	"
Elijah Frost	200.00	None	1.00	None	1.00	None	"
Charles Bittner	395.00	395.00	None	None	223.97	395.00	"
Thomas Callahan	600.00	600.00	125.31	None	362.81	474.69	"
Charles Thorn	None	None	1.00	None	1.00	None	"
Henry Ohland	8,000.00	262.94	11.00	None	11.00	251.94	"

Dated January 4, 1932.

Respectfully submitted,
W. F. ORNBAUN,
Public Administrator of the County of Mendocino, State of California.

AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF MENDOCINO. } ss.

W. F. Ornbaun, being first duly sworn, deposes and says: That he is now and at all times herein mentioned was, the duly elected, qualified and acting Public Administrator of the County of Mendocino, State of California; that the within and foregoing return and report contains a full, true and correct statement of the estates of deceased persons which have come into his hands, and the money of every such estate which has come into his hands, the amounts paid out, the amount of his commission, and the balance remaining in his hands or under his control in each of said estates for six months ending with and including December 31, 1931, and that he has not been and is not now interested in any of the expenditures made on account of said estates or any or either of them or at all.

W. F. ORNBAUN.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of January, 1932

(SEAL) J. W. KINGREN,
Notary Public in and for the County of Mendocino, State of California.

WILLITS NOTES

WILLITS, Jan. 5.—The seasonal rainfall up to January 1 amounted to 30.48 inches. This is more than we have had for some years at this date. There is lots of snow on Mount San Hedrin and the other high peaks in that vicinity.

L. J. Lane came down from Covelo last week for a few days' visit.

Walter Wright came up from San Francisco to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Wright.

Paul Grothe, of Bell Springs, was here over the week end.

John Heap visited San Francisco last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Pres. McPeak are visiting friends at Los Banos.

Hallie Case and family and Mrs. P. L. Hall spent New Years with relatives in Sonoma county.

Theo. Fulwider has returned from a visit with his daughter at Martinez.

Studies were resumed at the high school last Monday and next week the grammar school opens.

Mrs. M. Haskett and children returned Tuesday from a short visit with her parents in Berkeley.

Clarence Prothero, of Laytonville, was here on business last Tuesday.

Forest Ranger Oliver Moore was taken to his home Sunday. A few weeks ago he underwent an appendicitis operation.

Slides on Highway

Some small slides took place on the Redwood highway during the big storm but none of them were large enough to delay traffic. The worst place is on the Rattlesnake grade, where so much new construction work was done last summer and fall. At this point the highway is said to be mucky and rough and drivers have to go slow.

John Pedroncelli spent several days last week in Santa Rosa visiting friends and attending to business matters.

Bob Chatham was called to the county seat Monday on courthouse business.

Judge W. F. Whitney had an enforced vacation during the entire holiday period and did not show up at his office until Monday. The day before Christmas the judge was taken down with the flu and for most of the time was not sick enough to be in bed or well enough to leave the house.

Bert Shimmin and family came up from Hopland to spend the week end with his sister, Mrs. Della Westphalen.

Mr. and Mrs. Len Michaelson motored up from Ukiah last Sunday. Len is one of the most prominent newspapermen of the county seat.

Louis Muir came up from San Francisco last week with the intention of remaining here for several months. Since being discharged from the army Muir has been connected with an electrical institution in the city. Several years ago he was gassed and the army doctors have pronounced him half disabled and he draws half disability pay.

Taking Stock

Most of our merchants have been busy during the past week taking stock. Business conditions are nothing to brag about but it might be worse.

Two More Bob-Cats

A. J. Bulle came in from Black Rock a few days ago and reports having killed two more bob-cats last month, besides numerous other smaller varmints, mostly skunks.

Branch Warehouse

L. V. Ruelle was in Ukiah Monday on business connected with his branch feed store at that place. Percy Whitcomb, our former well known citizen, has been appointed the manager of the Ukiah store.

Oldest Citizen Dies

Mrs. Maria Emery, the oldest living resident of this community, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ben Good, December 31, aged 92 years. Deceased was born in Canada, December 21, 1839, and came to California in 1869, and to Willits first in 1892. After living here a short time she moved to Humboldt county, where the family lived until 1903, when they returned to Willits and this has been her home since that date.

She was remarkably well preserved for a person of her years and retained all of her faculties and was able to be about the house up to two days of her death. The immediate cause of death was pneumonia and the infirmities of old age.

The funeral services were held at Anker's funeral chapel, Saturday afternoon, and were conducted by Rev. I. P. Gillon.

She leaves two children, Mrs. Ben Good of Willits and Murray Emery of Fort Bragg. Besides these there are six grandchildren and six great grandchildren.

Best Cook in Willits

Bill Lewis has been awarded a leather medal for being the best cook in Willits. Bill has long been noted for his flapjacks, boiled beans, ham and eggs and similar viands but nobody gave him credit for being able to surpass a French chef in culinary ability—but he did.

Bill invited 150 of his friends to partake of his sumptuous repast which consisted of roast turkey and cranberry sauce, roas tchicken and a leg of roast lamb. Besides this there were quantities of snow white mashed potatoes, brown gravy, salads, cakes and pies galore—and after satisfying all of their wants there was still food enough left for several times that number.

At this juncture the ladies present took a vote and decided unanimously that Bill was the best cook in Willits and pinned a leather medal on his manly breast to confirm the decision. Englishmen are proud to wear the order of the garter, Frenchmen the legion of honor, Germans the iron cross, and at country fairs and flower shows handsome red and blue ribbons are much desired, but none of these favored people swell up as much as Bill does over his leather medal.

Bill and Jim Taylor bach together and now Jim tells us that ever since the holidays they have been devouring the remains of the feast. First it was cold roasts, then giblets and finally ended up in hash and Jim says that hash for a steady diet gets very monotonous.

Annual Ball

The annual ball given by the Willits fire department on New Year's eve was one of the most successful dances ever given here. The attendance was large, the music was good and everybody had a good time. Several hundred tickets were sold to people who never dance. Practically every property owner bought a ticket and the gross receipts will amount to several hundred dollars, but the exact amount is not known at this writing. All of the profits will be used in making another payment on the new pumper fire engine.

J. A. Bennett Dies; Well Known Here

Jessie Arnold Bennett, former Ukiah business man, died Thursday of last week while en route in an ambulance from Cloverdale to Santa Rosa. Bennett owned the Pickwick grill on north State street about a year ago and was well known in Ukiah. He also was employed by Fred Smith, who owned the grill at one time.

The deceased was an ex-service man. He had been gassed overseas and the after ffects bothered him until the time of his death. He was employed as cook in the Depot hotel in Cloverdale and was being taken to Santa Rosa for treatment, it is understood.

Bennett was a native of Illinois, but had passed a good part of his life in California. He was a resident here for a number of years, where he made a number of friends. He was 51 years of age.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Myrtle Bennett, and a stepson and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Parrott, of Talmage.

He was buried in Santa Rosa from an undertaking establishment last Monday. Mrs. Bennett was unable to attend the funeral, being confined to her bed with a severe attack of influenza. She is employed here as a nurse.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Services at the Ukiah Christian church for Sunday, January 10, will be held as follows:

Bible school, 9:45 a. m. Ashley Neil Doak, superintendent. Report of special meeting of teachers held Wednesday evening, January 6.

Regular church services, 11:00 a. m. Close promptly at noon. Series of sermons on Book of Revelation. Subject of this sermon: "The Power That Shall Control the World and Bring Destruction." This power is not a church or religious institution, but it is now manifest in the earth. What is it?

Christian Endeavor societies meet at church at 6:30 p. m. Elston Holland church at 6:30 p. m. Elston Holland, president of senior society. Topic: "What Shall I Do With My Money?"

Evening services, 7:30 p. m. Song service led by Vincent Giorno. What is the world's need? Sermon subject: "How Far Are We from the Religion of Jesus?"

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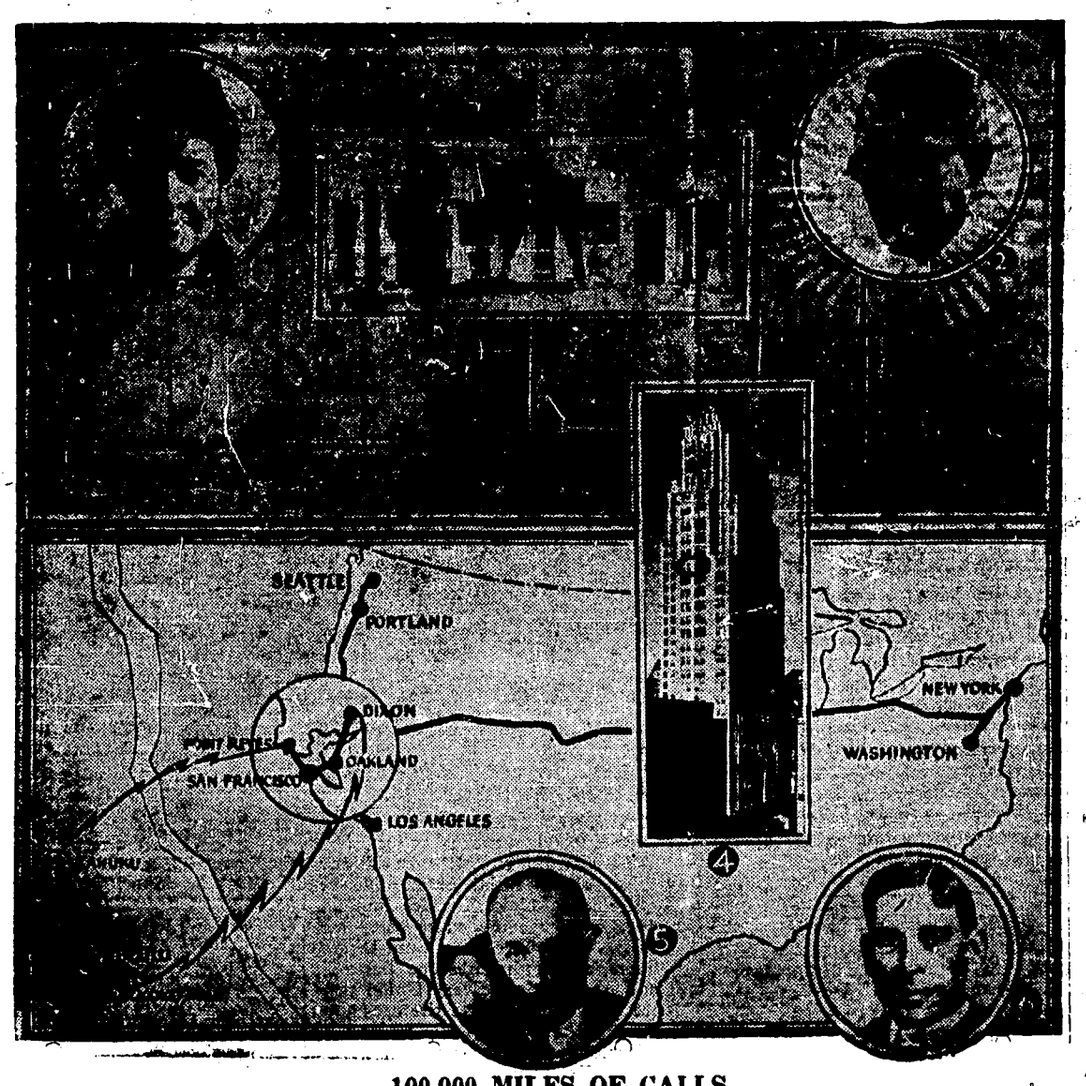

100,000 MILES OF CALLS

Above map shows route of 14 telephone calls, 2,000 to 5,000 miles long, totaling 100,000 miles, made December 23 when regular commercial radiotelephone service opened between America and Hawaii. Calls were made by Princess Kawananakoa (1) above; (2) Governor-General Judd, of Hawaii; (5) Leland Cutler, president of San Francisco Chamber of Commerce (6) Secretary of Interior Wilbur and others. Top shows radiotelephone transmitting antenna at Dixon, Calif., and old Hawaiian throne room (3) in Honolulu where calls were made. No. 4 is Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Co. headquarters, where San Francisco calls came. Photos: Matson Line & P. T. & T. Co.

INSTRUMENTS ON FILE THIS WEEK

List of Deeds, Mortgages, Patents, Releases, Etc., Placed on Record With County Recorder

December 23, 1931

DEEDS:

F G Backman to G B Woodworth, dated Dec 15 1931. SE¼ Sec 29 T 18 N R 17, less fraction thereof deeded to Franklin school district.

Mary L Clark et vir to Bud O Barnes, dated Dec 16 1931. Lot 34, Sec 30 T 23 N R 12 W MDM.

MORTGAGE:

Bud O Barnes et ux to Mrs Alice Black, dated Dec 21 1931. Lot 34, Sec 30 T 23 N R 12 W MDM.

DECLARATION OF HOMESTEAD:

By G B Woodworth, dated Dec 16 1931. SE¼ Sec 29 T 18 N R 17 W MDM, less fraction thereof deeded to Franklin school district.

OIL LEASES:

J A Sherwood et al to The Twin State Oil Co., dated May 22 1931. Lot in Manchester, being in T 13 N R 17 W MDM.

G E Rife to The Twin State Oil Co., dated Oct 20 1931. NW¼ of SW¼ Sec 21 T 12 N R 16 W MDM.

December 24, 1931

DEED:

John Cunningham to Eugene Szanik et ux, dated Dec 24 1931. Property in N½ of Blk 9, Gobbi's Addn to City of Ukiah.

DECREE OF DISTRIBUTION:

Celia Cohn estate to S Cohn, dated Dec 22 1931. Property in Lot 110 of Yokayo Rancho.

HOMESTEAD:

By V W Girno et ux, dated December 14 1931. Property in western part of City of Ukiah.

DEED OF TRUST:

John Pasero, grantor; A H Shafsky and Harold T. Bolden, trustees; The Coast National Bank of Fort Bragg, beneficiary; dated Dec 17 1931. Lot of land 50x150 ft in City of Fort Bragg. To secure payment of $500.

RELEASE OF MORTGAGE:

The Coast National Bank of Fort Bragg to John Pasero, dated Dec 21 1931. Releases mortgage recorded in book 21 of official records, page 255.

CHATTEL MORTGAGE:

F E Bertsch to F W Gowan, dated Dec 24 1931. All machinery, tools and equipment located and situate in that certain machine shop operated by mortgagor at corner of City St and State St., Ukiah. $182.

DEED OF TRUST:

C H Doolittle et ux, trustor; Corporation of America, trustee; Bank of America N T & S A beneficiary, dated Dec 14 1931. Property in Lots 94 and 95 of Yokayo Rancho and in T 16 N R 13 W MDM and in T 16 N R 12 W MDM. To secure the payment of $17,000.00.

DEED:

Ziba E Simpson to Mary Helen Murdock, dated Nov 30 1931. Property in Secs 11, 1 ,014, 15, 22 and 23 T 22 N R 10 W MDM and also property in Glenn county.

December 26, 1931

ORDER CONFIRMING SALE OF REAL ESTATE:

Estate of J D Blosser to P H Taylor, dated Dec 18 1931. Property in Willits.

DEEDS:

D J Blosser estate (by admrx) to P H Taylor, dated Dec 18 1931. Property in Willits.

J H Sweeney to Ida M Sweeney et al, dated Dec 23 1931. The westerly 1155 ft of SW¼ of NE¼ Sec 17 and S½ of NW¼ of Sec 17 T 17 N R 11 W MDM (excepting 30 acres of said Sec 17). Subject to life estate of Sarah S Sweeney.

Annie Grace Sweeney et al to J H Sweeney, dated Dec 23 1931. S½ of NW¼ Sec 16, SE¼ of NE¼ and the easterly 165 ft of SW¼ of NW¼ Sec 17 T 17 N R 11 W MDM. Subject to life estate of Sarah S Sweeney.

HOMESTEAD:

Declaration of J H Sweeney, dated Dec 26 1931. Same property as in last above deed.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MORTGAGE PERSONAL PROPERTY:

F E Bertsch to F W Gowan, dated Dec 24 1931. Shop equipment, including machinery, tools, etc., one auto located at F E Bertsch's auto repair shop at corner of Clay and State Sts., Ukiah. Transaction to be consummated January 4 1932 at office of county recorder.

December 28, 1931

MORTGAGE:

J Pasero to S Massoletti, dated Dec 28 1931. Property in Sec 32 T 17 N R 12 W MDM and in Fort Bragg. $305.15, 6 months, 8 per cent.

DEEDS:

Western Meat Liquidating Co to Western Meat Co., dated Dec 28 1931. Property in Sec 12 T 12 N R 17 W MDM.

Western Meat Liquidating Co to Western Meat Co., dated Dec 28 1931. Property in Secs 19 and 30 T 13 N R 16 W MDM and in Secs 24 and 25 T 13 N R 17 W MDM.

HONORABLE DISCHARGE FROM U S ARMY:

Edgar H Bauman, dated April 21 1919.

December 29, 1931

LIS PENDENS:

Essie L Cummiskey et al vs Chas Thorn, Jr estate etc., dated Dec 29 1931. Action to quiet title to property in Sec 14 T 12 N R 11 W MDM.

PARTIAL RECONVEYANCE:

Wm Bromley (trustee) et al to A J Beasley et ux, dated Dec 8 1931. Partial reconveyance of property described in deed of trust recorded in book 39 of official records, page 89.

MORTGAGE:

A J Beasley et ux to Achile Rosetti, dated Nov 23 1931. Property in and near the Town of Hopland. $1500.

DEED OF TRUST:

D Robertson et ux, trustor; C M Mannon and Wm Bromley, trustees; Savings Bank of Mendocino County, beneficiary; dated Dec 24 1931. Lots 16 and 17 of T D Orr's subd of a part of Lot 165 of Yokayo Rancho. $2500.

December 30, 1931

DEED:

Calif Western Railroad Navigation Co to C J Anderson, dated Oct 1 1931. Property in the City of Fort Bragg.

HOMESTEAD:

R Lawhead, dated Dec 17 1931. Land in Sec 24 T 21 N R 15 W MDM.

RELEASE OF MORTGAGE:

Bank of America N T & S A to G A Burger et ux, dated Dec 23 1931. Releases mortgage in liber 21 of official records, page 317.

NOTICE OF COMPLETION:

State of California to H D Baker, dated Dec 28 1931. For construction of woven wire fence and furnishing and installing one 14-foot tubular gate on property of F G Stevens in Boonville.

State of California, Dept of Public Works to H D Baker, dated Dec 28 1931. For moving house, woodshed, etc., on R V Lawson property in Boonville.

CANCELLATION OF MORTGAGE:

W F McGarvey to Savings Bank of Mendocino County. Cancels mortgage in book 66 of official records, page 145.

December 31, 1931

DEEDS:

A Fish et ux to Irvine & Muir Co., dated Dec 23 1931. Property in Potter valley.

United States of America to H H Beard, dated Dec 16 1931. Patent to land in Round Valley Reservation. 70 acres.

A Bernott to P Anderson et ux, dated April 12 1930. Property in Sec 33 T 22 N R 13 W MDM.

J C Johnson et ux to S J Chessall et al, dated Dec 22 1931. Property in Ukiah.

MORTGAGE:

J Randa to A Jarvis, dated Dec 29 1931. Property in Yokayo Rancho. $250, 4 years, 7 per cent.

DECREE:

C F Ganter estate to C N Ganter, dated Dec 18 1931. Property in Ukiah.

W W German estate to Ellen German et als, dated Dec 18 1931. Property in Hastings Suburban Addition to Ukiah.

CANCELLATION OF MORTGAGES:

O LaFranchi et ux to A LaFranchi. Cancels mortgage recorded in book 33 of official records, page 473.

D Robertson et ux to The First National Bank of Ukiah. Cancels mortgage in book 17 of official records, page 388.

James McCosker et ux to A E Dillingham. Cancels mortgage in book 61 of official records, page 53.

January 2, 1932

DEEDS:

A R Long to W H Howard et al, dated Aug 15 1931. Property in Willits.

D H Lawson et ux to State of California, dated ..... Property in Boonville.

J Allen et ux to M Martin, dated Dec 11 1931. Property in Sec 7 T 17 N R 11 W MDM.

M Martin to J Allen et ux, dated Dec 11 1931. Property in Sec 7 T 17 N R 11 W MDM.

DEEDS OF TRUST:

W G Christiernsson et ux to Bank of Willits et al, dated Dec 1 1931. Property in Willits. $600, 8 per cent, one year.

L J Downing et ux to The Coast National Bank of Fort Bragg et als, dated Dec 30 1931. Property in Sherwood Villa tract. $250, 1 year, 7 per cent.

R H Horn et ux to The First National Bank of Cloverdale et al, dated Nov 21 1931. Property in SW¼ of SW¼ Sec 25; SE¼, NW¼ of SW¼ and E½ of SW¼ Sec 26; E½, SE¼ of NW¼, NE¼ of SW¼, NE¼ of NW¼ Sec 35; NW¼, W½ of SW¼, NW¼ of NE¼, Sec 36; T 12 N R 10 W MDM. Also property in Cloverdale. $7500.

MORTGAGE:

Walter H Howard et al to Amy Requa Long, dated Aug 15 1931. A part of Lot1, Blk 2, of Town of Willits. $4000.

LEASE:

William Howell et ux to Al Faussett, dated Nov 6 1931. Property on E side of south State St. Term of 2 years at $10 per month.

RELEASE OF MORTGAGES:

Bank of Willits to W G Christiersson et ux, dated Dec 22 1931. Releases mortgage recorded in book 17 of official records, page 265.

The Coast National Bank of Fort Bragg to L J Downing et ux, dated Dec 30 1931. Releases mortgage recorded in book 18 of official records, page 144.

Lona M Barnett to Mrs Catherine Dougherty, dated Dec 31 1931. Releases mortgage recorded in book 28 of official records, page 362.

Mrs. Alley, mother of Mrs. Lottie Collins, is confined to her daughter's home on north State street with illness. Dr. J. J. Kirwin is her physician.

Seventh-Day Adventist Church
Corner N. Bush and W. Henry Streets
Sabbath School ..... 9:45 a. m.
Preaching or Study ..... 11:00 a. m.
Young People's Meeting, Friday ..... 7:30 p. m.
Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7:30 p .m.
All are cordially invited to these services. 43-tfc

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Mrs. Ida Foster, well known Arcata resident, was here Saturday visiting friends and renewing acquaintances. Mrs. Foster formerly lived here and has a daughter living south of Ukiah.

NOTICE OF TIME AND PLACE OF HEARING ON PROBATE OF WILL

No. 5228.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino.

In the Matter of the Estate of JOSEPH FRENTZEN, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that on the 2nd day of January, 1932, Anna Frentzen produced a document purporting to be the last will and testament of Joseph Frentzen, and filed the same herein, together with her petition, praying that the same be admitted to probate, and that letters testamentary be issued to said Anna Frentzen.

Notice is further hereby given that on the filing of said petition and the production of said document, the Clerk of this Court fixed the hearing of said petition for Friday the 29th day of January, 1932, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the court room of this Court, in the Court House in Ukiah City in said County and State, and all persons interested are hereby notified then and there to appear and show cause if any they have, why said document should not be admitted to probate, as the last will and testament of said deceased, and letters testamentary issued to said Anna Frentzen, the petitioner above named.

Dated this 2nd day of January 1932.

H. M. BURKE,
County Clerk of said County of Mendocino and ex-officio Clerk of the Superior Court thereof.
W. D. L. HELD,
Attorney for Petitioner.
Endorsed: Filed Jan. 2, 1932.
16 H. M. BURKE, Clerk.

NOTICE TO CREDTIORS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino.

In the Matter of the Estate of FRANK FELIZ, also known as FRANK MARTEIS FELIZ, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned, the administratrix of the Estate of Frank Feliz, also known as Frank Marteis Feliz, Deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against said decedent to file them with the necessary vouchers within six months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the Clerk of the above named Court, or to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within six months after the first publication of this notice to said administratrix at the law offices of Will Van Dyke, in the Marks Building in the City of Ukiah, Mendocino County, California, which said last named place the undersigned administratrix selects as the place of business in all matters appertaining to the said estate of Frank Feliz, also known as Frank Marteis Feliz, Deceased.

ANNIE FELIZ, As Administratrix of said Estate.
WILL VAN DYKE,
Attorney for said Administratrix.
First publication in Ukiah Dispatch-Democrat, December 4, 1931. 11-6t

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino.

In the Matter of the Estate of EMILIE GANTER, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned, the Administrator of the Estate of Emilie Ganter, Deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against said decedent to file them with the necessary vouchers within six months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the Clerk of the above named Court, or to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within six months after the first publication of this notice to said Administrator at the district attorney's office in the Mendocino County Court House at Ukiah, Mendocino County, California, which said last named place the undersigned Administrator selects as the place of business in all matters appertaining to the said estate of Emilie Ganter, Deceased.

C. F. GANTER,
As Administrator of said Estate.
ARTHUR FRAME,
1004 Hobart Bldg.,
San Francisco, Calif.
Attorney for said Administrator.
First publication in Ukiah Dispatch-Democrat, December 18, 1931. 13-5t

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino.

In the Matter of the Estate of STELLA TRAUB, (also known as Estella Traub), Deceased.

No. 5217.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned, the Executor of the last will and testament of Stella Traub, (also known as Estella Traub), Deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against said decedent to file them with the necessary vouchers within six months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the Clerk of the above named Court, or to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within six months after the first publication of this notice to said executor at the office of W. D. L. Held, attorney at law, in the City of Ukiah, Mendocino County, California, which said last named place the undersigned executor selects as the place of business in all matters appertaining to or connected with the said estate of said deceased.

First publication in Ukiah Dispatch-Democrat, December 18th, 1931.

HERMAN TRAUB,
As Executor of the last will and testament of Stella Traub, (also known as Estella Traub), Deceased.
W. D. L. HELD,
Attorney for said Executor. 13-5t

BAPTIST CHURCH

The annual election and business meeting was held January 6.

The Barrel clubs of the church will hold a social on Thursday, January 14, at 8:00 o'clock.

Next Sunday morning the subject will be, "The Power of Faith." In the evening it will be "Help for the Determined." Good music at both services.

Try our welcome.

C. F. MOSHER, Pastor.

ENTERTAIN GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Estill, of Ukiah, had as their dinner guests Christmas, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hamilton and Mrs. Florence Brandon of San Francisco, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Farrer and sons, J. D. Farrer and Leland Farrer of Boonville, and Mr. and Mrs. E. Estill of Ukiah. Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton and Mrs. Brandon were also house guests over the week end.

W. L. Hughes, of Fortuna, and Charles Rogers, of Carberville, were in Ukiah Monday and Tuesday visiting friends and attending to business. They were guests of the Cecilie hotel.

NOTICE OF SALE BY COMMISSIONER UNDER DECREE OF FORECLOSURE OF MORTGAGE

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino.

KATE HALLIDAY, Plaintiff,
vs.
CHARLES WILLIAM REINKING, also known as Charles W. Reinking, Mrs. Charles W. Reinking, his wife, F. H. Warren, Defendants.

Under and by virtue of the Judgment and Decree of foreclosure of sale given and made by said Superior Court in the above entitled action on the 19th day of December, 1931, and entered and recorded on the 21st day of December, 1931, in Judgment Book No. 17 of said Court, at page 355 thereof, and under and by virtue of the order of sale issued out of said Court on the 24th day of December, 1931, pursuant to said Judgment and Decree, I, James E. Busch, as the Commissioner appointed in and by said Judgment and Decree, am commanded to sell all that certain real property which is particularly described in said Judgment and Decree, and which is situated in the County of Mendocino, State of California, and is bounded and described as follows, to wit:

All that part of the Southeast quarter (SE¼) of the Northeast quarter (NE¼) of Section 24, in Township 13 North, Range 17 West, M. D. M., which lies East of the County Road running Northerly and Southerly through said Southeast quarter (SE¼) of the Northeast quarter (NE¼).

Also that portion of the Northeast quarter (NE¼) of the Southeast quarter (SE¼) of said Section 24 described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the Northeast corner of the Southeast quarter (SE¼) of said Section 24 and running thence South on the range line eight (8) chains to a stake; thence South 89.50 deg. West to the center of the County Road; thence Northerly along the center of the County Road to the North line of the Northeast quarter (NE¼) of the Southeast quarter (SE¼) of said Section 24; thence East to the place of beginning.

NOW, THEREFORE, public notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the 23rd day of January, A. D., 1932, at the hour of ten o'clock A. M. of that day, at the Easterly entrance to the Courthouse in Ukiah, County of Mendocino, State of California, I, as such Commissioner, will, in obedience to said order of sale and said judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell all of the above described property (or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs) at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States of America.

Dated this 24th day of December, 1931.

(Seal)

JAMES E. BUSCH,
Court Commissioner.
CHARLES KASCH,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino.

In the Matter of the Estate of ALBERT EMMIT McCOMBS, also known as A. E. McCOMBS, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned, the executor of the Estate of Albert Emmit McCombs, also known as A. E. McCombs, Deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against said decedent to file them with the necessary vouchers within six months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the Clerk of the above named Court, or to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within six months after the first publication of this notice to said executor at the law offices of Frank W. Taft, Preston Bldg., Ukiah, Mendocino County, California, which said last named place the undersigned executor selects as the place of business in all matters appertaining to the said estate of Albert Emmit McCombs, also known as A. E. McCombs, Deceased.

CHARLES BUCKNELL,
As Executor of said Estate.
FRANK W. TAFT,
Attorney for said Executor.
First publication in Ukiah Dispatch-Democrat, January 1, 1932.

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GUESTS AT PALACE

Registered at the Palace Saturday were: H. F. Fearnell, of the state department of public works; John R. Jago, of Lower Lake, and Charles Macheboey, resident of Kelseyville. On Sunday: J. H. Halliday, of Point Arena, and Prosper F. Hontou, of Cloverdale.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino.

In the Matter of the Estate of GEORGE WASHINGTON GOFORTH, also known as Geo. W. Goforth, also known as G. W. Goforth, Deceased.

It appearing to the undersigned as the Administrator of the Estate of George Washington Goforth, deceased, that it is necessary that the real estate belonging to said estate be sold in order to pay the debts of said deceased and the claims on file, and the expenses of administration, said administrator does now hereby give notice that, for the reasons above set forth, he, as such administrator, will on or after Monday the 25th day of January, 1932 sell at private sale to the highest bidder, upon the terms and conditions hereinafter specified, and subject to confirmation by the above entitled court, all the right, title, interest and estate of the said George Washington Goforth, also known as Geo. W. Goforth, also known as G. W. Goforth, deceased, at the time of his death, of, in and to the real property hereinafter described, and all the right, title, and interest that the estate of said deceased has by operation of law or otherwise acquired, other than or in addition to that of said deceased at the time of his death, of in and to all that certain real property, situate, lying and being in the Town of Covelo, County of Mendocino, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point 429 feet South of the Northwest corner of Section Seven in Township 22 North, Range 12 West, M. D. M. said point of beginning being 24 feet south of the southwest corner of the land of E. A. Gravier; thence running south 143 feet more or less to the Northwest corner of the land of Amy Redwine; thence east along the north line of the land of Amy Redwine 600 feet more or less to the west bank of Hornbrook Creek; thence north and northwesterly along the west bank of Hornbrook Creek to a point due east of the point of beginning and then west 400 feet more or less to the point of beginning.

Bids or offers must be in writing, and may be left at the offices of Will Van Dyke, Attorney at Law, at room 17 Marks Building, in Ukiah City, California, or delivered to said administrator personally at his residence near Covelo, California, or may be filed in the office of the Clerk of the above entitled Court, at any time after the posting of this notice and before the making of said sale.

Terms of sale: Cash, lawful money of the United States, ten per cent of amount of bid to accompany bid, and balance on confirmation of sale by said Court. Deed and title insurance at expense of purchaser. Said Administrator reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated: January 4, 1932.

HARRY BROWN,
Administrator said Estate.
WILL VAN DYKE,
Attorney for Administrator. 16-3t

ROUND VALLEY

COVELO, Jan. 4.—A telegram from Earl Lee Kelley, chairman of the California highway commission, received on Saturday morning, announces that the board of directors of Joint Highway District No. 20 will be given an official hearing before the commission at Sacramento on Friday, January 8, to discuss the state's participation in the Round valley highway project.

An unusual treat prefaced the opening of the Improvement club's regular meeting on Saturday afternoon. Asher Havenhill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Havenhill of the shop department of the high school, consented, at the urgent request of a member, to demonstrate two interesting mechanical toys he has developed during the week's vacation. The first was a celestial demonstrator by which the location of heavenly bodies may be determined. Through it is made graphically clear the variation in the length of day and night, and the changing aspects of the starry constellations. The speaker had constructed this demonstrator to illustrate a lecture which he will give next week before the Oakland astronomical association. The second was a miniature airplane about 18 inches in length. The plane was made of thinnest balm wood, dressed with a safety razor blade. Four perfect out-door flights were made, the longest a distance of perhops 200 feet. The 4-H girls, who were invited in to witness the demonstration, were especially pleased with the plane. Young Havenhill is a student in the medical department of the University of California.

Mrs. Anderson, chairman of the publicity committee, announced an interesting program under way for January 16, as also did Mrs. J. D. Rohrbough of the flower committee for February 20. Both of these ocmmittees are endeavoring to stress the importance of accomplishment in project work rather than mere entertainment in their programs. Plans were made for a pansy-growing contest to culminate at blooming season in a pansy show. Plants may be obtained from the committee at 25 cents a dozen, within a few days. This idea developed from a news item in a Ukiah paper telling of what Sam Mitchell is doing in the court house grounds. Mrs. Edith Walters made a plea for the importance of the child welfare work. Contributions have been made twice during the year to this work and the interest of the club is still very live in its behalf.

As a New Year resolution for the benefit of the club, each member is requested to leave with the secretary at the next meeting, for guidance of the chairman and executive committee, an answer to the query "What can I do to help make this the best year in club history?"

"LaJolla," a beautiful lyric from the pen of Laura Bell Everett, sister of R. W. Everett, former principal of our high school, was read. The poem appeared in a volume recently off the press, from the poetry section of the Berkeley Short Story club.

Lieutenant-Commander and Mrs. Earl Quinlan and daughter, Barbara, who have spent the week as guests in the E. F. Rohrbough home, left Monday for Vallejo. Lieutenant Quinlan, in charge of the destroyer Perry, directed the maneuvers of the radio-controlled robot Stoddert in July when it made a three-hour run at 25 miles an hour, turned at 180 degrees, and was guided into harbor by wireless.

There will be a meeting of the choral section of the Improvement club at the home of Mrs. G. W. Goforth on Saturday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock.

Roy Caldwell went out to the Hayes place Sunday, where he will spend a month trapping and studying wild life.

Mrs. Omar Bates is visiting in Santa Rosa and the bay region.

Mrs. Lyle Clark and little son are in Palo Alto.

F. E. Woolley is in San Francisco on a business trip.

Mrs. Murphey is in charge of the G. R. Redwine home during the absence of the owners, who are visiting their daughters in Santa Rosa. They will return about the 15th.

Walter Foster came in from his mountain home to spend the holiday week with Covelo friends.

Arthur Carpenter is a guest at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Robin Bauer.

Miss Imogene Lovejoy has returned from a short visit with relatives in Willits.

Miss Eva Dunlap returned Saturday to her school in Riverside.

Covelo schools reopened Monday.

Mrs. I. B. Barrass and daughter, Miss Mildred, left the first of the week for Fresno, where the daughter is teaching. Mrs. Barrass will be away for a month.

Banks Retaken, Will Be Tried for Escape

Edgar Banks, Redwood valley resident, who was sentenced for assault and battery on his father one day last week, and who escaped while being taken to the county jail to serve a 20-day jail sentence imposed on him by Judge Hoffman, was found at the residence of Jim Darby, near Vichy springs, Thursday night, in a pitiful condition.

The sheriff's office was notified and Sheriff Dick Williams, L. G. Morgan, deputy, and Dr. Cleland went out to the Darby residence the next day and brought Banks to the county farm, where he was examined. He was suffering from exposure and had a high fever, it was stated.

He is at present in the county jail awaiting trial on the charge of resisting an officer.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES

"Sacrament" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon Sunday, January 10, in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, branches of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.

The citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon will include the following from the Bible: "And Jesus came and spake unto them, saying, All power is given unto me in heaven and in earth. Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost: Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you alway, even unto the end of the world. Amen" (Matt. 28:18-20).

The Lesson-Sermon also will include the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "When will Jesus' professed followers learn to emulate him in all his ways and to imitate his mighty works? . . . . . It is possible,—yea, it is the duty and privilege of every child, man, and woman,—to follow in some degree the example of the Master by the demonstration of Truth and Life, of health and holiness" (p. 37).

TWO CARS COLLIDE AT MADRONE AND GROVE

The light machine belonging to S. F. Burke, local postoffice employee, was badly wrecked Thursday of last week at the corner of Madrone and Grove streets.

Burke was on his way to work, about noon and in crossing the intersection collided with a heavy coupe which was towing another car.

It is understood an agreement was reached by the occupants of the cars, the owner of the coupe repairing his own and an insurance company taking care of the Burke car, which was repaired at the Cox-Vevoda garage.

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TIDES

United States Coast & Geodetic Survey Field Station, 510 Custom House, San Francisco, California, Thomas J. Maher, Commander, C. & G. Survey, Inspector in Charge.

Table shows time and heights of high and low water for the Mendocino Coast, January 9 to 15, 1932.

		HIGH		LOW		HIGH		LOW	
	Day	hr. am	ht. ft.	hr. am	ht. ft.	hr. pm	ht. ft.	hr. pm	ht. ft.
Sa	9	0:59	4.8	5:16	3.1	*11:23*	6.1	6:30	-0.9
Su	10	1:40	4.8	6:07	3.0	0:07	5.7	7:08	-0.5
M	11	2:17	4.9	7:02	2.9	0:51	5.3	7:43	0.0
Tu	12	2:54	4.9	8:02	2.8	1:42	4.7	8:19	0.5
W	13	3:30	5.0	9:07	2.5	2:42	4.2	8:55	1.1
Th	14	4:05	5.1	10:18	2.2	3:56	3.7	9:33	1.7
F	15	4:40	5.2	11:28	1.7	5:28	3.4	10:13	2.2

(* *) am.

NOTE:—In the above tabulation of the tides the daily tides are given in the order of their occurence, commencing with the early morning tides in the left hand column and the succeeding tides as they occur. On some days but three tides occur, the fourth occuring on the following morning.

The column of heights gives the elevation of each tide above or below the level of the Coast Survey chart soundings. The numbers are always additive to the chart depth.

The data is practically the same for Point Arena Light, Navarro River Entrance, Little River Harbor, Mendocino Bay and Fort Bragg Landing. For Westport subtract 5 minutes from the time and for Shelter Cove add 0.8 ft. to high tide.

SUN

		SR.	NOON	SS.
Pacific Std. Time of Sunrise, True local Noon (Sundial noon) and Sunset at Ukiah, California.	Jan. 9	7:33	12:19:49	5:08
	Jan. 16	7:31	12:22:31	5:15

MOON

Pac. Std. Time of Moonrise and Moonset at Ukiah, California.

		Moonrise	Moonset
Jan.	9	9:08 am	7:03 pm
	10	9:38	8:09
	11	10:02	9:12
	12	10:24	10:13
	13	10:44	11:12
	14	11:05	-----
	15	11:25 am	0:11 am

Phases of the Moon

First Quarter	Jan. 15	1 pm
Full Moon	Jan. 23	6 am
Last Quarter	Jan. 30	2 am
New Moon	Feb. 6	7 am

The time of rising and setting for the sun and moon is when the upper limb is on the normal sea horizon. In the valleys the time of rising appears to be later, and that of setting earlier. For the Mendocino coast add 2 minutes to the time at Ukiah.

All of the foregoing astronomical data is taken from American Ephemeris and the time is Pac. Std. Time.

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TAXPAYERS MUST HAVE RELIEF

(By CHARLES G. JOHNSON, State Treasurer)

California's state government today is confronted with the very serious problem of adjusting its appropriations of public tax money to meet a general public demand for financial and economic retrenchment. The burden of taxation has now become too heavy a load for the taxpayers. Their demand for relief is no longer a gesture. It is backed up by their definite determination that they will no longer be satisfied with promises.

The continual advance in cost of government has run its course. The Roman holiday is over. Economy and retrenchment are imperative if the state is to avert a serious crisis.

Hundreds of thousands of Californians are forced to default on tax levies on their homes and farms and are abandoning them because they cannot pay. They are taking what little they have and joining the rapidly-increasing army of unemployed. It is estimated that more than 594,000 pieces of property will revert to the state, due to inability to pay taxes. This is the most serious indictment of the tax burden California has ever known.

The state, as well as counties and municipalities must realize the dizzy heights to which propaganda has led them. Political favortism must stop and sound economic principles must be adopted. Extravagance in the expenditure of public money for schools and education which has run rampant for many years must be limited to actual needs.

Government in every subdivision today is confronted with the problem of enforcing immediate and drastic economies. This problem can only be solved by maintaining the cost of present government within the present revenues and less if possible.

Much talk is heard about the necessity of discovering new sources of revenue. This is no time to inaugurate new tax levies and further increase the burden of the depressed taxpayer. It is folly to endeavor to maintain our prosperity by the lavish expenditure of public tax moneys. It is a temporary relief at best and can only serve toward greater complications. The day is rapidly approaching for California to emancipate itself from the evils of the present political control of its government.

Inauguration of business principles in government by conscientious and trained business men would put an end to needless regulations of the intelligent public, together with the arrogance and stupidity of bureaucratic management of government. Business principles would simplify and define the special functions of government so that the taxpayers could understand their duty and obligation to government without the employment of statisticians and experts.

California's present dilemma as affecting industry and agriculture points straight to the incompetency of government in trying to regulate and manage our industrial and agricultural enterprises. The paternal attitude of government demonstrates political cowardice. Through this paternalism, politics hopes to preserve itself. Government must regain public confidence, recover its dignity and limit itself in its influence for public welfare.

The public should by this time be completely fed up on false promises, childish Utopias and political hokum.

GAS TAX RAISES MORE MONEY THAN CAN BE SPENT ECONOMICALLY

Out of the recent tempest over the gasoline tax revenues, precipitated by tentative suggestions from Rolland A. Vandegrift, state finance director, that a portion of the money might be diverted to replenish the general fund, or to retire old highway bonds, have come frequent intimations that the state's highway revenues have grown beyond state needs and beyond the ability of the state to expend them efficiently and economically.

State Controller Ray L. Riley strikes a sympathetic note, so far as California agriculture is concerned, when he says of this situation:

"If the present tax of three cents a gallon on gasoline is proving more money than the highway program requires, the correct answer is a reduction of the tax rather than a diversion to the general fund, **or a reallocation to the counties of the surplus money and repeal of the present code sections permitting county supervisors to levy local road taxes.**"

Whether an actual surplus of state highway funds exists may be still debatable, but it is worthy of note, at least, that these revenues today exceed $35,000,000 annually, whereas it was generally agreed in 1928, when the three cent tax was adopted, that $25,000,000 annually was as great an amount as could be expended efficiently and economically on the state system.

Certain it is that in view of existing conditions, the two alternate plans, each aiming at reduction in local property taxes, are deserving of the most serious consideration by the state's financial agents, as well as its highway officials and legislators.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

Notice is hereby given that the partnership between Bruno Pallini and Jack Purvis is hereby dissolved and Bruno Pallini will no longer be accountable for bills contracted by the business.

BRUNO PALLINI

Dated at Ukiah, California, January 8, 1932.

Jack Smith, Monty and Jim Banker and Will Hagans leave this morning for San Francisco to attend a dinner for the DeSoto dealers to be held at the Fairmont hotel. They will remain over to take in the automobile show tomorrow and will return Sunday.

Mrs. Lucinda Williams, old-time resident of Ukiah, is confined to her home on Clara avenue with a severe illness. Mrs. Williams has been in bed a week. Dr. E. C. Bennett is her physician.

REWARD

I will pay $5.00 reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the parties who cut my gas pump hose to pieces.

E. J. MOORE,
Hopland, Calif.

CREW REPLACING POLES

The pole lines carrying the wires of the telephone and telegraph companies between Redwood valley and Willits are to be rebuilt by a crew of about 15 men, the work to begin at once. During the heavy storms a few weeks ago, it is reported, over 80 poles went down and the remainder are in bad shape. The work will last several weeks.

C. P. Miller, of Santa Rosa, was in Ukiah Wednesday in the interests of the California pear growers association, of which he is the state representative. His headquarters are in Santa Rosa.

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STORM POUNDS WHARF BADLY

Point Arena Dock Buffeted By Waves In Recent Gale

POINT ARENA, Jan. 5.—The old year passed out and the new year came in quietly with continued rain. However, Saturday morning the sun shone and everything looked bright.

A Successful Dance.

The Catholic Ladies gave a dance in Druids hall New Year eve and a large crowd gathered to dance the old year out. Tiptop music was furnished by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. M. Smith and Messrs. Enis Nutt and Bud Byers.

Storm Damaged Wharf.

The storm last week did considerable damage to the Point Arena wharf. Waves washed clear over the wharf, tearing about one-third of the decking loose and twisting the car rails up more or less. Several large timbers that support the deck were broken squarely off and a number of piling were damaged. Rocks and driftwood were washed into the road by the end of the warehouses and one pile of ties closest to the ocean was knocked over by the large waves that came in.

North Road Was Closed.

The North Road was closed from Saturday until Monday on account of high water in the Garcia, the water being nearly three feet deep all the way across the flat.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Huntley, Jr., and children have been here from Dorris, Siskiyou county, passing the holiday vacation at the Huntley ranch on Brush creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jakway, of Vallejo, came up last week-end and visited Mr. Jakway's parents.

Miss Florence Halliday, of Oakland, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Kate Halliday, this week.

Theatre Has Reopened.

After a three months shutdown the Point Arena Theatre opened again New Year eve. The reopening of the theatre is appreciated by our residents and a full house enjoyed the show. The management has installed a new projecting machine or Vitaphone, which has just been purchased.

Disturbed An Old-Timer.

Some two years ago when Gus Miller dug a new well on his ranch he found on the last days' work what he thought was a piece of the limb of a tree sticking in the side of the well. A piece was broken off and upon examination proved to be the base of the tusk of a prehistoric mastodon. This was sent to San Francisco at the time and identified by scientists and is now on display with other curios at the Point Arena Hotel. Just recently Mr. Miller cleaned the well out and while the water was all out he dug about 18 or 20 inches more of the tusk out. He was afraid to dig out more for fear of the well caving in. This last piece when taken out and when exposed to the weather a few days, became soft and crumbled up. The first piece taken out remains hard.

Miss Frankie Brandon has returned from below, where she went for medical treatment.

Transferred To Richmond.

Oliver Blackburn, who has had charge of the interests of the Standard Oil Co. in Point Arena the past two years, has been transferred to Richmond where he will have a better position. We regret seeing Mr. and Mrs. Blackburn leave as they have made many friends during their stay here.

John Knudsen, who has been in service at the local Coast Guard station 22 years, has been transferred to the Point Reyes station, the transfer being effective January 4.

Timepieces That Are Marvels of Precision

The most accurate precision timepieces now available are the Shortt clocks made in England. The United States naval observatory has three of them. So sensitive are they that the mere temperature of the body is enough to render them inaccurate as standard timepieces, and so it was decided to install them in a vault in the ground below the frost line.

There are really two vaults, one within the other. An air space of 18 inches between the vaults serves as an insulator and also makes it possible to inspect and clean the inner vault.

It is almost a holy rite to enter the sacred inner vault. Since the timepieces must not be exposed to atmospheric changes the privileged enter the inner vault only through an airlock. Electric lamps are so mounted that they can be changed and cleaned without the necessity of entering the inner chamber.

Visitors to Washington who want to see how the nation keeps its time must gratify their curiosity through a periscope.

Authorities Made Poor Guess, in This Instance

The hundredth anniversary of the death of Bolivar, the great liberator of South America from Spanish rule, uncovered a number of amusing yarns concerning this famous character.

The story goes that on one occasion Bolivar sent a messenger ahead to a small town where he and his party were to spend the night. In it the liberator directed the town authorities to have food and quarters ready for his men and horses and added that there should be for himself shelter, food, etc., etc., etc.

The town authorities promptly got everything ready except the three etc.'s, which troubled them considerably. "What," they asked, "did the great liberator mean?"

Finally one of them, aware of Bolivar's reputation with the ladies, decided he had solved the problem.

It happened, however, that he was wrong and three of the town's prettiest girls were sent home at the direction of the highly amused Bolivar.—Los Angeles Times.

Beautiful Madeira

The little Portugese island of Madeira is known for its picturesque beauty, its pleasant climate, and for its world-famous wine. Situated off the northwest coast of Africa and having a population of about 200,000, Madeira is called "The Flower Garden of the Atlantic" because of its brilliant vegetation. No spot, it would seem, could be less fitted for political troubles and military demonstrations.

Madeira is oval in shape and has a mountainous surface, with a number of steep ravines radiating on all sides from the central ridges. Its highest peak, Pico Ruivo, is 6,059 feet above sea level. Wooded summits, dripping rocks and rippling streams add to the island's beauty and grandeur.

Origin of Strange Oath

It is supposed that "by the great horn spoon" originally referred to the large horn spoons common a couple of centuries ago, says Pathfinder Magazine. Spoons made of the horns of cattle and sheep were common in Scotland until late in the Nineteenth century and such utensils were common in colonial America. The Scotch of a former generation ate their porridge with huge horn spoons while the colonists in the New world used similar spoons with which to ladle soft soap and apple butter. Even the American Indians made spoons from the horns of buffalo. "By the great horn spoon" seems to be of American origin and there is something about it which suggests that it may have originated among seafaring people.

Mice That "Sing"

The singing mouse has been immortalized by Emerson Hough, who wrote about these peculiar little animals that make a sound that resembles singing. Much has been written about them, and the fact that they do sing is supported by the evidence of trustworthy witnesses. Mice are unquestionably fond of music, but it is not fully determined whether their ability to make it is normal or is an individual peculiarity. Some writers have gone so far as to assert that it is due only to a diseased throat.

Concerning Kisses

Kisses are sometimes given by simply kissing hands (throwing a kiss, or blowing a kiss). A man should not throw a kiss to a girl unless she is a good catch.

The kiss indirect, or the kiss at a distance, may be described as a natural extension of the direct, capable of development by any people independently. But it is a curious fact that it can be traced from Graeco-Roman civilization to that of modern Europe, where, however, it appears to be instinctive in children.—Exchange.

Remains of Fossil Whale

Attempts by a dog to bury a bone in ocean sand at Pacific Beach, Calif., led to the uncovering of the fossilized remains of a whale which scientists believe swam in the Pacific 500,000 years ago. Part of the head of the huge mammal, several ribs, a hip bone, three vertebrae of the tail two from the neck and other bones have been uncovered.

WANT ADS

NEW THIS WEEK

NOTICE—On or about January 15, Dr. C. E. Roberts, optometrist, of Oakland, Calif., will be located in my store. Dr. Roberts comes with statewide reputation as a first-class optical man. You will make no mistake in bringing your eye troubles to Dr. Roberts. Reasonable prices and thorough comfort with a money refund guarantee. E. P. Smith, Jeweler, 106 W. Standley St., Ukiah. 1t

BABY CHICKS—Phone 164, Swanfelt's Hatchery. White Leghorns, Rhode Island Reds, Barred Rocks, Australorps and Austra-Whites (1st cross). New low prices. We do custom hatching. Agents for Lyons Brooders and Electrical Supplies. River Road, Ukiah, Calif. P. O. Box 114. 16c-Out May 1

TEACHER wants woman to stay in home and care for two-year-old child. Write or see Pearl Banks, Redwood Valley, Calif. 16-2tc

FOUND—A beret. Owner may have same by calling at this office. 16

FOR SALE—Wheat, oat and alfalfa hay, baled. Apply J. H. Bogner, P. O. Box 463, or phone Ukiah 37F2. 1tc

LOAN WANTED—$7,000.00. Secured by first mortgage on real estate worth $30,000.00. Well located and productive. Money to loan—$2500.00 on first mortgage on real estate. C. N. Snyder, Ukiah. 1tp

FOR SALE

PEAR TREES FOR SALE—We are now taking orders for and delivering pear trees on French root, Prune on Myro., Apple on French Crab, and Cherry on Mazzard and Mahaleb. These trees were grown in our nursery from selected buds. Mendocino Farm Bureau Nursery, Morby Bros., Ukiah, Calif. 14—Mar. 1

FOR SALE—Mammoth Bronze turkeys for breeding from our strain, the product of 10 years' selective breeding. Also turkeys for table use. Delivered. C. H. Smith, Redwood valley, phone Ukiah 18-F-5. 9-8tp

FOR SALE—Young thoroughbred Jersey cow. T. B. tested. Fresh next June. Apply A. Turula, Redwood Valley. 14-3tp

FOR SALE—Pool room, complete, ready to run, double bowling alleys, 5 pool tables, one snooker table, card tables, chairs, counters, shelving, cash registers, etc. Situated in Ukiah. Will sell as a whole or separately. Formerly property of T. F. Schultz. Apply W. B. Hagans, trustee in bankruptcy, 206 North School st., Ukiah. 11-6c

FOR SALE—Blue stem wheat, red oats, baled red oat hay, baled wheat straw. Inquire M. and E. Redemayer, phone 315M, Ukiah. 10-6t

FOR SALE—¾ inch galvanized pipe, 7½ cents per foot. ½ inch galvanized pipe, 6½ cents per foot. Corrugated iron—26 guage, 5¼ cents per square foot. Mike Cohen, South Main street, Ukiah, Calif. P. O. Box 173. 29-tfc

FOR SALE—7 kilowatt Westinghouse electric range with large automatic oven. Newly renovated and guaranteed. Original cost $142. Will sell at bargain. Trash burner extra. —C. A. Wallett, electrician. 5-tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Small, 5-room unfurnished house, modern and comfortable. Shade and fruit trees. Apply Gibson-Hagans, 206 N. School st. 11-tfc

MISCELLANEOUS

SHOE REPAIRING

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DO YOU WANT TO KNOW what your future has in store for you? If you do see Mrs. Louise Kellogg at 214 Norton st. Professional card reader of many years experience. Local references. Call at front apartment or phone 260-W and she will call. 7tfc

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